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Stirling W. I.

The Stirling Women's Institute gave a very enjoyable concert in the Opera House on Thursday evening, Feb. 23rd.

The concert opened with a short address by Mr. C. B. McGuire, the chairman of the evening. In his remarks Mr. McGuire showed his appreciation of the splendid work done by the Institute, and as a Women's organization, was more than making its influence felt.

The rest of the program consisted of songs, mouth organ selections and plays. There is certainly much talent found among our boys and girls of Stirling, and what folly to send for outside help when you can find better at home.

The character song "The Hats of other Days" was a scream, and it was generally voiced among the audience that professionals could not have done better.

Two short plays, "When women

vote", and "No Cure no Pay," were presented, and if aunt Midge's Stomach Balm wasn't a cure for all complainings and ills, well then some cases are pitiable, for one would surely have to be a chronic grouch to keep from laughing and all for twenty-five cents too.

The proceeds at the door amounted to \$32.75, while \$21.75 was obtained from selling tickets on a casserole. Mrs. Halliwell was the winner of the lucky ticket and hence the casserole. The program was closed with the National Anthem.

Stirling Methodist Church

Rev. W. R. ARCHER, B.A., Pastor

Sunday, Mar. 5th, 1922

10.00 a.m.—The Pastor

Subject—The Heritage of Methodism

7 p.m.—The Pastor

Subject—What is Religious Life. No. 5.

Christianity's Demand.

CARMEL

2.30 p.m.—The Pastor

Subject—The Heritage of Methodism.

## FAIR PLAY FOR NEGRO

Canadian Justice Gives Bullock  
Feeling of Safety

Judge Snider's Stand Has Been Up-  
held by the U. S. State Dept.  
Citizens Who Respect God's Name  
of North Carolina Are Afraid of  
the Effect of a Lynching After  
So Much Publicity.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—It is learned through the State Department here that the Federal authorities take the view that Judge Snider of Hamilton is quite within his rights, under the International extradition treaty, in requiring oral evidence before granting the demand of the State of North Carolina for the extradition of the negro Matthew Bullock, on a charge of intent to commit murder. The Canadian government has full power and every right, it is stated, to demand oral evidence. Unless Governor Morrison changes his attitude, it does not seem likely that the State Department here will take any further action in the case.

### May Abandon Demand

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The Hamilton court refuses to grant extradition in the case of Matthew Bullock on a charge of intent to commit murder, no further effort will be made to get him back to his native state. This is the view held by North Carolina persons in official circles, who, while they have not taken an active part in the Bullock case, have been watching the details of the controversy closely. They say that the state officials of North Carolina will not likely make any further move.

The belief has been strong here from the first that the North Carolina state authorities have not been very anxious to have Bullock returned to the state, because of the danger of lynching. To guard against this would be a serious responsibility for the governor. If Bullock were returned, and were to fall victim to mob violence, it would be a dangerous blow to the state, because public opinion has been too strong to be easily affected here.

There is now in Congress a very strong agitation by Northern members for an anti-lynching law, and Southern members, backed by public sentiment in their states, are making every effort to defeat the move.

Contrary to the impression which might be created by the statement issued by Governor Morrison of North Carolina, the United States State Department has no way of forcing extradition. Unless the evidence produced by the North Carolina authorities is adequate, in the opinion of the Hamilton court, the State Department is unable to do anything, and the Canadian court has every right to demand oral evidence, it is declared here.

### Governor Takes Stand.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Governor Cameron Morrison of North Carolina reiterates that he would not send witnesses to testify in Hamilton in support of his state's demand for the extradition of Matthew Bullock.

"North Carolina has made clear her stand," he declared. "We now consider this a matter of sovereignty between nations, in accordance with our treaty with Canada. It is up to the Secretary of State of the United States."

Questioned regarding the view of North Carolina citizens, that the state officials were really not unwilling that Bullock should stay in Canada, reported in a Canadian Press despatch from Washington, Governor Morrison said:

"The State of North Carolina can protect its prisoners. We are not afraid to assume the responsibility of guarding Bullock if he is returned for trial."

### PADDLED THE CENSUS.

Men Heavily Fined for Adding Some  
Imaginary Names.

OTTAWA, Feb. 28.—Census "padding" is under close investigation. Already, according to official advices here, four prosecutions of enumerators have been undertaken and fines imposed. The city of Regina, Saskatchewan, was the case in point.

Investigation by the census authorities showed that irregularities had been committed and several thousand fictitious names added to the census.

Four enumerators were prosecuted.

It was found that one had padded his returns by 1,935 names; a second by 1,353 names; a third by 769 names, and a fourth by 1,127 names.

E. S. Macphail, chief of the census division, who conducted the investigation at Regina, had the men prosecuted. Each of them entered a plea of guilty, and was fined \$100 and costs.

Census enumerators were paid five cents per name reported.

### LOST

On Saturday, Feb. 18th on the street in Stirling, a gold wrist watch. Finder please leave at LEADER OFFICE.

## River Valley W. I.

River Valley Women's Institute held their last meeting at the home of Mrs. Alex Parks, Feb. 2nd with a large attendance. Meeting opened with singing the Maple Leaf and repeating the Lord's Prayer.

The business part of the meeting over Mr. W. H. Hanna took charge of the programme. A solo by Mrs. Earl Morrow, also one by Mrs. Albert Carlisle. A reading by Mrs. W. H. Hanna and a contest given for Mrs. Donahue. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. Rosebush March 2nd. Visitors always welcome.

## Hastings County Folk Attend Annual Banquet

In spite of the storm between 80 and 90 former residents of Hastings county were present at the second annual banquet of the Hastings Club, held on Feb. 22nd, in the West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto.

Many members walked three or four miles to attend. Clifford Hatton of Suring was Chairman, and an address was delivered by H. K. Denyes, M. P. P. for East Hastings.

Officers were elected for the year as follows: Hon. President, H. K. Denyes, M. P. P., East Hastings; and Robert Cook, M. P. P., West Hastings; President, C. W. Foster, formerly of Moira; Vice-President, Clifford Hatton, Suring; Secretary-Treasurer, Miss T. Hawkins, Suring; Committee: Harry Macdonald, Madoc; Jack Herity, Belleville; Miss Jean Heath, Tweed; Miss G. Graham, Suring; Mrs. McWilliams, Marmora; Miss Grace Harris, Bannockburn.

Mrs. M. Stauley, formerly of Madoc, was Mistress of Ceremonies.

## HYMENEAL

ROULTON-BAKER

Feb. 10th, 1922, was the scene of a quiet but pretty wedding of Mr. Guy Egbert Boulton youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Boulton of River Valley and Miss Elizabeth Josephine Baker, eldest daughter of Mrs. Emma Baker of Ivanhoe who were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. At the immediate hour of 10 a.m. the bridal party entered the drawing room where the marriage rites were read by the Rev. I. Snell. The bride was beaumonily attired in a gown of navy silk and white georgette with broid work and wore the gift of the groom, a handsome gold wrist watch.

After the ceremony the happy couple motored to Trenton depot where they caught the early train for Toronto and other points west. The bride's travelling suit was navy serge with black hat.

Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Boulton will reside in River Valley. We extend to them a most prosperous and happy voyage through life together.

## Pancake Tea

The Pancake Tea, given by the Ladies Guild of St. John's Church on Shrove Tuesday, (Pancake Tuesday) was certainly well arranged, and all the viands most delicious.

The Tea which has been held for over 10 years has become more and more popular and always looked forward to by all lovers of well made pancakes. The cooks knew how to make and furnish the real product, fresh from the griddle and the number that thronged the home of our esteemed hostess, Mrs. Buttiner Belsheaw, was marvellous.

Mrs. Belsheaw knows how to entertain her guests, and her guests knew how to appreciate everything. The entertainment was held in the Opera House. Everyone expressed the wish that a Tea of this kind would come more frequently.

Many thanks to all who united in making this such a decided success. Receipts about \$77.00

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## The Gates of Hope

BY ANTHONY CARLYLE

### CHAPTER I.—(Cont'd.)

Marcia had listened to her half amused, wholly interested, and more than a little sorry for the big, brown-skinned, blue-eyed young giant who was Reddeer's heir. She had met him fairly often at Audrey's flat, and had found him very pleasant as well as interesting company.

They were so charming—fresh and bright, and when you looked at him there had appeared to her greedy. She looked at him now under veiling lashes as he entered the room behind his stepmother. It struck her that he looked unwontedly harrassed and worried, and that there was a restlessness in his manner which was unusual.

Evidently Audrey noticed it, too, for her even brows drew together and a quick questioning sympathy leaped to her pretty eyes. She greeted Lady Rossler, nodded to her son, then dropped a hand on Kempton's arm.

"You're looking upset, boy!" she told him in a soft aside that only Marcia, standing near, caught. "Anythings wrong?"

"Nothing except the usual—money and the like. Chisely money. I owe a devil of a lot, and since the pater's marriage folks aren't inclined to be so patient as before! Then the old man has cut up rough, you know, and he's docking my allowance. Abberlather! I'm in a pretty tight hole just at the moment. So tight!"—rather grimly—"that I'd do something desperate to get out of it."

He spoke so low that only Marcia overheard, and the girl looked at him with renewed interest and quickening sympathy. The next moment, as she was about to glide out of the room after a brief nod of greeting to Kempton, Mrs. Alden spoke her name.

"Miss Halstead, I don't think Lady Rossler has met you yet. Lady Rossler, this is Miss Halstead—the lady who keeps my literary affairs in something like order for me! Mr. Ruthven, Lady Rossler's son."

She made the introduction lightly, airily; and as Marcia bowed gravely young Gordon Ruthven gave a surprised exclamation.

"Why, how odd!" he exclaimed, "Halstead was my mother's maiden name!"

### CHAPTER II.

Lady Rossler made an impatient movement. Her glance rested somewhat wistfully on the slim, pale and turned-to-linen Miss Alden. She was a tall woman, very graceful, beautifully gowned and brilliantly good looking, of a richly tinted, rather Oriental type. Marcia's eyes followed her curiously. Somehow she felt that she could not like her—a faint, unreasoning antagonism rose within her, and she let her glance wander to the boy.

He was a handsome youth, very like his mother, but this morning he was heavy-eyed, and there was a restlessness in his manner which matched that of Kempton Rossler. He looked as though he had been making something of a night of it, and there was an odd, furtive uneasiness in the way his eyes roved round the room.

Again Marcia was conscious of a faint antagonism. Neither mother nor son appealed to her at all. She could not have told why, but she felt a vague distrust of both boys.

Once more she moved toward the door, but Audrey Alden turned quickly from Lady Rossler and called to her.

"Just a minute, Miss Halstead. I've got to go at once, and there are one or two little things I want you to do for me before you leave for the day."

She picked up the little brass key from the table where it lay beside the careless collection of jewels, holding it out to Marcia.

make her mother's life luxurious as well as comfortable; could not buy for her that constant care and medical skill which would have meant so much to her. But sometimes she ached with a desire to be envied, sometimes envied those richer than herself with a fierce envy that overwhelmed her.

As she rose to pass into the little bedroom they shared, her mother said: "A letter came for you after you'd left this morning, dear. Won't you read it before you change? It may be important."

She indicated a long, neatly addressed envelope on the mantelpiece. Marcia nodded and picked it up; as she looked round for a paper-knife, she said:

"By the way, mum, isn't it queer?"

Lady Rossler's maiden name was Halstead. I suppose it's impossible that we should be related or connected?"

She spoke quite idly, more for want of something to say than because she was in the least interested, but her mother gave a little exclamation and stirred among her cushions.

"Lady Rossler?" she repeated, then shrugged. "Oh, I don't know."

Halstead's not a very usual name, but, of course, it's very improbable we should be connected. She is Lord Rossler's second wife, isn't she? I have a cousin, Ruth Halstead, somewhere—she must be a good ten or fifteen years younger than I am, though."

"My husband's father had only two brothers, Clive and Dame Halstead. Dame was Alden's only daughter. Now I come to think of it, I believe she married a man named Ruthven. I think it was yes, I am sure, because I always thought what a quaint name Ruth Ruthven was. Why, Marcia, what is it?"

For the girl had given a little exclamation, and with the letter still half in and half out of its envelope, was staring at her wide-eyed.

"Then it is!"—said Lady Rossler. "It is a connection. Why, mother she must be that very cousin! I know her name is Ruth—Mrs. Alden told me—and she was a Mrs. Ruthven before Lord Rossler married her! What an extraordinary coincidence!"

"Very extraordinary!" Mrs. Alden agreed. "I never met her, of course. Her father died soon after mine. The third brother went to Africa or Australia—I forget now—gold seeking. I have not heard of him for years. I do not know even if he is dead or alive. We were very good friends in the old days. I believe I was a great favorite of his Poor Uncle Clive! I wonder."

She stopped short. Marcia had been perusing the letter while she was speaking, and now looked up with a smothered exclamation and eyes that were bright with surprise.

"This is a day of coincidences!" she cried. "Mum, listen to this!"

"Miss Marcia Halstead:

"Dear Madam—If you are the daughter of the late Gerald Halstead

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# Farm Crop Queries

CONDUCTED BY PROF. HENRY G. BELL

The object of this department is to place at the service of our farm readers the advice of an acknowledged authority on all subjects pertaining to soils and crops. Address all questions to Professor Henry G. Bell, in care of The Wilson Publishing Company, Limited, Toronto, and answers will be given in the order in which they are received. When writing kindly mention this paper. As space is limited it is advisable where immediate reply is necessary that a stamped and addressed envelope be enclosed with the question, when the answer will be mailed direct.

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H. E. B.: I have a field that is sandy loam (some of it is quite light) on which I lost the clover seed last year. This field will be pasture for two years so I am not particular about the grass, only would rather have clover. How much seed do you sow? Would you inoculate for both seeds, also how do you proceed? This land is now planted to wheat. Would you harrow the seed in or would it damage the wheat too much?

Answer: I would advise you to sow 18 to 20 lbs. of good clover seed per acre. If you wish to get a good catch of sweet clover by all means inoculate the seed. The inoculation material comes in bottle form with full instructions. Write the Bacteriological Dept., O.A.C., Guelph, who sell the inoculating material at a nominal rate.

On the land where the wheat is now standing I would advise you to sow the clover seed broadcast late in spring just before the frost goes out of the land. The cracking of the soil in the springtime will allow the seed to be sufficiently buried, so that it will get a good start. If the wheat has made a good firm stand it may be well to harrow the ground lightly, setting the harrow teeth back so that they will not drag out the wheat, and harrow with the rows and not across them. Do not do this if the clover seed has sprouted.

I would advise you to apply about 200 lbs. per acre of a 3-8-3 fertilizer also as soon as you are able to go on the ground in the spring. Scatter this fertilizer over the top of the wheat with the lime spreader, or broadcast it. This soluble plant food will give the young growing crops of wheat, grass and clover an especially strong start and will do a lot to ensure a good stand of clover as well as to increase the yield of wheat.

A. P.: Please tell me how to test marl to find its quality as fertilizer. Answer: Marl is not a fertilizer in the strict sense of the term, neither is lime. Both of these are soil correctors; that is, by virtue of the carbonate of lime that they carry they correct the 'sourness' of soil. You could send a sample of your marl to any chemist who will tell you the quantity of calcium and magnesium carbonate that it contains. This will give you an idea as to its value as a soil corrector. However, actual application of about two tons to the acre will show you how thoroughly it corrects the sourness of the soil equally as well, and will save you the expense of the analysis.

E. O.: I want to plant sweet clover to grow seed on a field of clay loam soil. It is alike clover sod, fall-plowed, and has never had any lime applied. Hydrated lime is the only kind we can get here. I would like to know how much lime I ought to apply per acre.

Answer: I would advise you to lime the soil in question with about 1½ tons of hydrated lime to the acre. Apply this broadcast as soon as the snow is gone and harrow it in as you are working down the seed-bed. Proceed as suggested in the answer to the first question.

R. H.: I sowed some field peas last year with oats, sowing thirty pounds of peas to one and a half bushels of oats per acre. I cut and threshed same as other grain, but the peas didn't grow over twenty-four inches high, or make a very luxuriant growth. Neither did the oats, for that matter, as the season was not favorable. These peas ripened a week or ten days ahead of the oats, and consequently shattered badly in cutting. I sowed 100 pounds of sixteen per cent. acid phosphate per acre, which this cause peas to ripen ahead of the oats? My oats are a fairly early strain. What variety would be best to grow with oats for seed purposes and what amount should be sown per acre? I prepared my seedbed last spring with the disc harrow. Should the ground be plowed?

Answer: In the matter of seed of mixed grain, it is not advisable to attempt to gather seed for a succeeding year's mixture from the crop grown this year. The proportion in weight or volume that the various grains yield is not the same proportion in which they were sown, due to the different prolificacy of the crops. Therefore, next year take your seed from a bin of good oats and from a bin of good peas, mixing them in the proportion desired. It is natural that the peas should have ripened ahead of the oats. They are a shorter lived crop.

The mixture of peas and oats is especially valuable when the crop is cut green for hay. The acid phosphate would of course react on the ripening of both crops alike and would not be responsible for the early ripening of the peas. The varieties Dr. Zavitz recommends for mixing with oats are Multipliers, Potter, and Golden Vine, using a mixture of two bushels of peas and one bushel of oats per acre. The oats which are recommended are any of the early varieties, preferably

some of those lightest in hull, which are Joannette or Daubney. Whether you disc or plow your soil should depend entirely upon the state of the soil in the spring. Speaking generally, it is best to plow medium loam soil.

## Poultry

Proper ventilation of a poultry house means more than an opening that will allow cold air to rush into the building. Every farm flock, to be healthy and profitable, must have proper ventilation.

Each building has its own problem of ventilation. There is the building with the flat top, the ventilator generally being an open window in the side or end. Go into such a house on a cold day, and you will notice moisture on the ceiling. That is proof that the air is not circulating as it should, and the resulting dampness is very injurious to the fowls. Such a building makes poor living quarters.

If it is necessary to shelter your poultry in a flat-roofed building, all means place a ventilator through the roof so the used air and moisture will be carried out promptly. A galvanized iron ventilator costs more than a hole slashed through the building, but it is the only way to make a building fit for poultry.

Too much ventilation is as bad as too little, especially in severe weather. Some poultry houses are open so the wind causes a strong draft through them, and in very cold weather this is pretty certain to cause frost-bites and other ailments that cut down egg production. A few minutes' work

would make it possible to regulate the air current.

The amount of air admitted should, of course, vary with the number of fowls. Since this number is a varying one, there are worth-while advantages in a ventilation system that allows for regulation of the air currents. A sliding door across the air inlet is a simple and efficient method, and one that can be profitably installed in new buildings. It is more convenient to have the door controlled from inside the building, as that enables the caretaker to regulate when attending the fowls.

## The Sunday School Lesson

MARCH 5

Jehovah's Mercy to a Heathen City, Jonah 3: 1-10 Golden Text—Isa. 55: 7.

Lesson Foreword—It is difficult to say exactly when the Book of Jonah was written, but all the evidence points to a date after the exile, that is, after B.C. 586. This book deals with Israel's attitude toward the heathen. The Jews seemed never to be able to adopt the proper religious attitude towards their heathen neighbors. They prided themselves on having the knowledge of the true God, Jehovah, and on being his peculiar people, but on the other hand, the heathen still ruled the earth. This proved a stumbling-block to Jewish faith and created a bitter and intolerant spirit toward other nations. In the story before us Jonah appears as the type of his narrow and exclusive nation, as a good man who refused to first to preach repentance to Nineveh because they were his heathen enemies, but when in the end he was forced to do so he saw that the gospel "works" in Nineveh as well as in Israel. Thus the purpose of the book was to lift the Jewish nation to a higher viewpoint where they could see that the one God is the creator of the heathen as well as of Israel.

### I. Warning, 1-4.

V. 1. Jonah; is the hero, but not necessarily the author of the book. It is nowhere said that Jonah himself wrote the book. There was a

prophet by this name in the reign of Jeroboam (2 Kings 14:25), but as he lived long before the events described in this book, he could not have been the hero of our story. The second time. The first command to preach to Nineveh is given in ch. 1:2. Jonah disobeyed this command because he feared the effect of preaching repentance to Nineveh; the Ninevites would repent and the Lord would have compassion on them, whereas Jonah preferred to see them destroyed. The punishment recorded in ch. 1, however, brought him to his senses, and this time he obeyed.

V. 2. Nineveh; the capital of the great Assyrian Empire was situated in the eastern part of the greater Zedon. Sennacherib the great king enlarged, strengthened and beautified. "All the spoils of Asia were lavished on its adornment and purification. Pure drinking water was introduced into it in place of the rain water on which the inhabitants had depended, and stately palaces arose in the neighborhood of the Tigris." Its markets were thronged with merchants and traders, and its library was stored with thousands of clay books" (Sayce). Nineveh fell in B.C. 607, before the Medes.

V. 3. An exceeding great city. The Hebrew means literally "great for God" that is, great even according to a divine standard. The city occupied about 1,800 acres and was surrounded with walls surmounted by towers and pierced with gateways. These walls rose to a great height and were in circumference about 7½ miles. Of three days' journey. The reference is to the diameter rather than to the circumference. It required three days to go through the city from one end to the other.

V. 4. A day's journey. Jonah had penetrated almost to the heart of the city when he began to preach. Yet forty days, etc. The Ninevites were not told the reason for this startling announcement but they would feel instinctively that the reason lay in their sinfulness. "For this seeming humanity he claims the universal possibility of repentance—that and nothing more" (G. A. Smith).

### II. Repentance, 5-9.

V. 5. The people of Nineveh believed God. They believed that God would carry out the threat and so they repented. Notice that their repentance was immediate and all-inclusive. The Ninevites contrasted favorably with the Israelites who had many prophets and a long term of grace yet had not fully repented. One main point in the story is that the knowledge of Jehovah awakens an instinctive response even among the heathen. A fast . . . sackcloth. These are the outward signs of grief and self-abasement. The people of the East show their feelings with far less reserve than we do.

V. 6. The report of Jonah's terrifying announcement penetrated to the royal palace so that the king also repented and abased himself. Sackcloth was a rough cloth made of the hair of camels and goats. It was worn in times of great trouble such as mourning for the dead, and along with fasting was a visible expression of penitence as here. (See 1 Kings 21: 27; Neh. 9: 1). Ashes; were also used to express mourning and penitence. They were thrown up in the air so as to alight on the head and sometimes the penitent or mourner sat on them (see Job 2: 11). That the king himself should have repented so deeply shows the profound effect Jonah's preaching had on Nineveh.

Vs. 7, 8. Not content with merely setting a precedent, the king, by his edict, commanded a national repentance. As head of the state he was in charge of the religion of the state and could enjoin or modify religious observances. Even the domestic animals were to have a part in the gen-

## Smoke

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## How to Make a Hotbed

Use for a marker a piece of four-inch board as long as the inside width of the hotbed. Make one edge of the board V-shaped. Press this edge into the soil every four inches to make furrows for the seed. Drop the seed and cover lightly with soil and sand mixed.

Plants requiring different temperature should not be in the same sections. For instance, tomato plants require more heat than cabbage plants.

After planting, sprinkle warm water over the bed to moisten the soil. Replace the sashes and keep the temperature between 75 and 85 deg. F.

When young plants appear, give them fresh air every day if the weather permits. Avoid watering too heavily; too much water causes poor root systems, as well as fungous diseases. Use just enough water that plants do not suffer for moisture. On bright, growing days, uncover the beds and let the sun shine directly on the plants. This makes hardy plants.

Never transplant directly from a warm hotbed to exposed conditions. Either get the plants accustomed to exposure while in the hotbed, or transplant to a cold frame—which is nothing more than a sash-covered frame placed on the ground; just like a hotbed except there is no heat supplied except by the sun.

When ready to transplant, thoroughly wet the bed containing the plants to be moved. The plants will go into another section of the hotbed, the same as the flats or to the field. If they are moved directly to the field, run a shovel or trowel under the plants, deep enough that the tap root will not be cut off.

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Increase for year	2,019,241.95
PROFITS paid or allotted to policyholders	1,849,089.95
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## The Dairy

J. C.: I have a cow which has a hole in the middle of her teat and it is very troublesome. Can you advise me whether there is any treatment that will cure her?

The fistula of the teat can be done away with by the following method of treatment: Restrain the sow, cast her if necessary. Soak the teat in hot water containing all the boric acid it will dissolve, then insert a milking-tube that has been boiled for fifteen minutes. Make a new fresh wound of the false opening by cutting its edges away with a clean, sharp scalpel. Stop the bleeding by bathing it with very hot water, then dry the parts and paint the wound lightly with tincture of iodine. Coat the teat with pine tar and put on a bandage of antiseptic gauze, two inches wide, from the tip of the teat to the udder. Coat each layer of gauze with tar until seven or eight layers have been put on, then put on a final coat of tar, after stitching the last layer of gauze to the one below. In two weeks saturate the bandage with alcohol and remove it carefully. The gauze should be drawn snugly, but not tight enough to interfere with circulation. The operation is to be performed when the cow is not yielding milk.

A hot brick in a padded box will often help bring young pigs born in extremely cold weather.

When a farmer invests farm earnings in another enterprise of which he knows little, he proves that he has small faith in his own business.

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THURSDAY, MAR. 2, 1922

## RIVER VALLEY

Miss Lucy Boulton of Toronto, is visiting  
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Boulton.

Mrs. Jared Hanna and Everett, of  
Caribou, spent the week end with relatives.

Mr. Fred and Walter Heasman, of  
Peterboro, are visiting their parents.

Mr. Marion Lister while sawing wood  
at his home found the misfortune to  
have his hand badly lacerated.

Mr. Geo Bush returned to Smiths Falls  
on Friday, after spending a few days  
with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bush.

Mr. Frank Irvin had the misfortune to  
lose a valuable horse last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bush and Evelyn  
spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon  
Matthews, Rawdon.

Master Ernest Carr is ill with tonsilitis.

All enjoyed the concert given by the  
Marshall Hill Club on Friday evening.

Miss Gertrude Hessman spent Sunday  
with Miss Helen Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Chard visited  
their son Clarence Chard on Sunday.

## SPRING BROOK

The Farmers' Club held their annual  
oyster supper in the Fortescue Hall last  
week. After enjoying the oysters and other  
good things, all repaired to the Orange  
Hall, where the W. I. presented a play  
entitled "Lighthouse Nan" which  
was very enjoyable, also the music rended  
by Messrs. Sain and Anderson.

Dr. Simmonds was in Toronto one day  
last week.

The Misses Edna and Ruby Nichol  
are visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mr. H. Thomas attended a sale in  
Guelph last week.

Miss Scarlett of Toronto, is visiting  
his brother, Mr. Robt. Scarlett.

The Rufe Club dance held in the  
Orange Hall, on Friday evening was well  
attended. All in a grand time report a  
good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Mumby have re-  
turned home after their long moon trip.

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Bring in your Harness for repairs early and order  
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## PUBLIC SCALES

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the say where he shall weigh his hogs.

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## GETTING AFTER SPOOKS.

### Great Excitement Over Haunted House In Nova Scotia.

HALIFAX, N.S., Feb. 28.—The

problem of the alleged "haunted"

house at Caledonia is becoming a

political question.

Since a provincial

detective, after a brief investigation,

ascibed the mysterious fires and

other extraordinary phenomena,

which drove Alexander MacDonald

and his family from their home in

winter, to supernatural agencies,

there has been so much talk of

"spooks" in Nova Scotia that many

imaginative children have been see-

ing things in the dark. Angry

parents are now declaring that the

Nova Scotia Government should take

immediate measures to lay the alleg-

ed ghosts.

The haunted house has also be-

come a business problem. Fire

underwriters are discussing sugges-

tions that the mysterious fires were

due to electric phenomena, caused

by the powerful wireless station at

Glace Bay. Several other families

in Antigonish County are now re-

ported to have been driven from

their homes by mysterious fires dur-

ing the last dozen years.

According to engineers received

by the

Dr. Walter Franklin Prince,

director of the American Institute

for Scientific Research, who has

accepted the invitation of W. H.

Dennis, of the Halifax Herald, to

undertake an investigation of the

mystery.

**Safe Blowers at Montreal.**

MONTREAL, Feb. 28.—Thieves

broke into the establishment of Wal-

kehrs, auctioneer, and after

blowing the safe open with nitro-

glycerine, departed with over \$3,000

in jewels.

Thornton Jenkins died at San Jose,

Cal.; his parachute failed to open.

**SHOT BY HOUSEKEEPER.**

Serious Accident Occurred In Hamil-

ton Home.

HAMILTON, Feb. 21.—John Lob-

mski, Burlington street east, aged 23

years, was shot through the hand

and the bullet entered his intestines,

when Mary Mazar, his housekeeper,

accidentally discharged an automatic

revolver, at 10 o'clock Sunday

morning.

The injured man was preparing to

go to church, and as he was search-

ing a drawer he saw the revolver

which he purchased some time ago

and put away. Handing it to the

housekeeper, he asked her to put it

in a safe place, and not knowing that

a cartridge was contained in it, she

pressed the trigger. The muzzle was

against her right hand and the shot

went through her hand, then through

Labenski's left hand, and into his

stomach.

The injured man was examined

and operated upon immediately by

Dr. Mowbray at the General Hospital

To-day his condition is reported fa-

vorable and he is expected to recover

In a statement to the police, he said

that the shooting was accidental

corroborating the story of Mary

Mazar.

**"Alliance" Avoided.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The

Four-power Pacific Treaty, together

with its supplements and a reserva-

tion, and the Naval Limitation and

Submarine treaties, were ordered

favorably reported on Saturday by

the Senate Foreign Relations Com-

mittee.

The reservation attached by the

committee to the four-power pact

embodies the compromise suggested

after conferences with President

Harding, and declares that nothing

in the treaty shall be construed as

forming an "alliance." It was ap-

proved by a ten to three vote.

200 Miles in Open Boat.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Feb. 28.—The

crew of the Newfoundland fishing

schooner Howard Parks rowed 200

miles in an open boat after their

vessel had foundered, and reached

Barbados on Saturday. Advices of

their arrival received here said the

vessel had been driven far to the

southward by contrary winds before

the sprang a leak.

De Valera drew \$250,000 from

New York bank to help make Ireland

a republic.

Yours fraternally

C. F. LINS, Secy.

Stirling, Jan. 24th, 1922

BRO. WM. J. JEFFREY  
Harold, Ont.

Dear Sir Knight:

It is with regret that we the County

Black Chapter of Hastings learn of your

serious accident and suffering and would

like to send you and your family a

few words of sympathy to try and help

soothe the hours of suffering.

Then we were over at Tweed last

attending the County meeting, the

letter moved that a letter should be

written to you, conveying the sympathy

of the Chapter, and it to do it, Now it is impossible for me to put words

together as would like to, but let me

assure you that all the Sir Knights sincer-

ely hope for your speedy recovery and

that God may grant you strength to bear

in your hour of suffering. Sincerely hope

to our next County meeting.

We remain

Yours in Knighthood

J. T. HOUSETON, C. P. I. Committee

Stirling Lodge, A. F. & A. M.

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BRO. WM. J. JEFFREY  
Ivanhoe, Ont.

Dear Bro.

On behalf of Stirling Lodge No. 69

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extend to you and family our most

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**Local and Personal****G. T. FAILWAY TIME TABLE**

Trans arrive and depart as follows:

Going West	6.02 A. M.	10.32 A. M.
	6.32 P. M.	2.06 P. M.

Get rid of Rheumatism. Use O. R. Kidney Tonic. It is O. K.

Miss Emily Conley of Belleville, is visiting Miss L. Osborne.

Mr. Dan Bird, of Hamilton, has been spending the past few days with his father, Mr. Morden Bird.

A number of young people attended a very enjoyable dance in Frankford on Friday evening.

Mrs. Buttiner Bishaw and her sister Mrs. Bert Bedford spent a few days in Toronto last week.

Miss Lucy Boulton, of Toronto, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Boulton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Linn spent part of last week in Madoe, guests of their daughter, Mrs. Jas. Hough.

Mrs. Ed. Palmer, who has been so seriously ill is recovering. Nurse Conley is caring for her.

Mrs. Ruth Free, of Campbellford is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary Martin.

Mr. James Fitzpatrick who has been very ill with pneumonia, is recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Berne Black of Napance, were guests at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. James of Ralph, over the week end.

Mr. Dan Searles of Harold, and Mr. John Marshall, are delegates to the Liberal Convention held in Toronto yesterday and to-day.

Rev. Father Phelan of Campbellford, was seriously injured in a train wreck at Kalamazoo, Mich., on Feb. 12th, when he received a gash upon his face and nearly lost the sight of an eye.

Mr. Geo. Weaver, general merchant at Mayoonth, died at his home on Tuesday of last week. He was a former member of the County Council, having been Reeve of Wollaston Township.

The Hockey match and dance on Monday night was thoroughly enjoyed by a large number of people, as well as many from a distance.

The regular monthly meeting of St. Andrew's W. M. S. was held at the home of Mrs. Nolan on Tuesday Feb. 21st. The Topic, Central India, taken by Mrs. Simpson was very instructive, also Mrs. Joseph Reid gave a very interesting paper on mission schools and colleges.

Tuesday of this week the whole British nation was rejoicing over the fact that Princess Mary was married to one within the British Isles, a Britisher. The London Press has been filled with comments. It is hoped when this has proven such a popular marriage that her brothers will copy her example.

Dr. J. McC. Potts, Dr. C. F. Walt and Mr. Bert Bedford, attended the Masonic Convocation of the Grand Chapter of Canada, Royal Arch Masons, held in Hamilton Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. Dr. Potts was again elected to the important position of a member of the Executive Committee, and Mr. T. E. B. Yeats received the appointment of Grand Senior Sojourner.

"The Greater Claim" in which Alice Lake is a star of natural charm and winning personality, is a picture which will appeal to everyone. It is an appealing story written by Izola Forrester and Mann Page. Miss Lake plays the role of a chorus beauty who elopes with the son of a wealthy man, and who undergoes vicissitudes and sufferings when her husband is kidnapped and she is compelled to face the world penniless as a mother. Don't miss seeing this picture at the Empire Theatre—Friday and Saturday, March 3rd and 4th.

**CASTORIA**

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Get ready for the grand masquerade Carnival at Stirling Rink, Monday evening, March 6th, 1922. Admission, 25c. See bills for prizes.

DUED—On Wednesday evening, Feb. 15th, 1922 from natural causes, while engaged in a Hockey Match with Tweed, the Madoe Hockey Club. Funeral notice later.

**Carmel Ladies Aid** will meet at the home of Mrs. Ashley Brooks, on Thursday, Mar. 6th, at 2 p.m. Members all requested to be present for re-election of officers and general business. Visitors welcome.

Service in St. John's church on Sunday March 5th, (1st Sunday in Lent) in the morning at 11 o'clock, at which there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion.

The Ladies of St. Andrew's held a very successful tea in the S. S. Rooms of the church on Friday, Feb. 24th. Mrs. Geo. Green was in charge, and with her helpers provided abundantly all manner of good things. Proceeds amounted to \$16. The next tea will be an "Old Fashioned Tea." It will be held in the Agricultural Hall on Friday, March 10th, from 3 to 7 p.m. Supper will also be served to those desiring it. Mrs. Thos. Donnan and Mrs. Chas. Bailey are in charge and are certain to arrange a very enjoyable afternoon. Everyody come and bring a friend along.

A short time ago the Rev. Rural Dean Byers baptized the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack West. The ceremony was deeply impressive especially so when the young boy was named after Col. Elmer W. Jones the Commanding Officer of the Regiment in which Mr. West served in the great war. Col. Jones made the supreme sacrifice, and fell in battle within a few feet of Mr. West. He attended the Collegiate Institute, Brockville, at the same time as Rural Dean Byers, and was a great friend of his. Chaplain R. J. Renison, Chaplain of the 21st Battalion writes: The late Col. Elmer W. Jones, D. S. O. was one of the most brilliant and beloved officers in the Canadian army; a man of culture, born in Brockville, a veteran of St. Eloi, the Somme and Vimy. He was father to every man in the Battalion. His influence over the officers was extraordinary. He called them all by their Christian names, and his humorous badinage touched the spot with unerring instinct. His last conference with his company officers was a lesson in personality. In his quiet tone he gave each his final instructions. His confidence in them and their affectionate respect for him were beautiful to behold. On Aug. 8th, 1918, he was mortally wounded when advancing with his Battalion in the attack on Marceval, east of Amiens and expired a few seconds later.

**THE TOMB**

**BUTLER**—In Toronto, on Monday, Feb. 27th, Elizabeth A. Butler, widow of the late James W. Butler, aged 85 years.

**THE ALTAR**

**MUMBY-LINN**—At the Methodist parsonage Marmora, Feb. 22nd, by the Rev. W. P. Woodger, Percy Frank Mumby, son of Mrs. David Mumby, to Ella Linn, daughter of Mrs. David Linn, both of Springbrook.

**HYMENEAL**

**RUTHERFORD—GREEN** At eleven o'clock Feb. 28th, a large congregation assembled at Christ Church to witness the marriage of Belleville's popular nurse, Miss Evelyn Grace Green to Mr. Robert Samuel Rutherford, of Napance. Miss Green, since graduating with honors has been a great favorite in her profession.

The bride entered the church on the arm of her father, The Rev. Mr. Green officiated and declared the bride and groom man and wife. The witnesses were Mr. Cecil Green, brother of the bride and Miss Grace Watt of Peterboro. Mrs. Col. Campbell had charge of the musical portion of the service, which she conducted with her usual ability.

Immediately after the service the happy couple proceeded to the G.T.R. station where amid showers of blessings accompanied by showers of confetti, they took the train for the East. Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford will reside in Napance. —Intelligencer

**Notice**

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held in Albert Hall, Friday afternoon March 3rd at 3 o'clock. Miss Judd will have the program.

**Rexall Store Items**

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**Principal**

Don't Fail to secure your tickets early for the Great Picture, the 4 Horseman of the Apocalypse, which will be shown at the Empire Theatre, March 7th. First time at reduced prices.

**March Rod and Gun**

If you have gone over your fishing tackle and have everything in readiness for the opening day, turn to the March issue of ROD AND GUN IN CANADA and haul fuel on the fire kindled by the Red Gods by reading "Nagogami Beauties" by L. F. Steenman; "A Speckled Trout Puzzle," by Bonnycastle Dale and "Fishing the Cowichan River From a Canoe," by John P. Babcock. If you are not a fisherman, read any one of the hunting and trapping stories and articles contained in the March issue of Canada's national sportsman's monthly. The riflemen interested in the Lee-Enfield will find some very helpful information, while the "scatter gun" enthusiast will read with interest the trap department. This number of ROD AND GUN IN CANADA has several especially good nature photographs which will undoubtedly prove of interest to all worshippers at Nature's shrine. ROD AND GUN IN CANADA is published monthly by W. J. TAYLOR, LIMITED, WOODSTOCK, ONT.

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**Found**

On Tuesday, Feb. 21st, between M. Fitzgerald's store and Orange Hall, Springbrook, a dark green ribbon sash slightly worn. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this adv.

MRS. JASON BAKER  
9th Cou. of Rawdon,  
R. R. 2, Campbellford.

**Stirling Cheese and Butter Co.**

A special general meeting of Stirling Cheese and Butter Co., will be held at the factory, on Friday, March 10th, at 1 p.m., for the purpose of reconsidering the amendment made at the annual meeting and carried re the distribution of profits, also to bring before the company a set of revised By-Laws.

C. M. SINE, President.

**Rawdon Circuit**

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10.30 a.m.—Bethel  
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**Sales by H. WALLACE**

Stock and Farm Implements of Mr. Isaac McCaughey, Con 1, Lot 8, Rawdon Tp., Thursday, March 8th, commencing at 1 p.m. sharp.—HENRY WALLACE Auctioneer

**Not Just the Latest in Style****But the Latest in Values**

We have on sale in our East window, Men's Overcoat Values that should cause a PANIC. Don't fail to See and Buy.

\$7.50-\$12.00-\$15.00-\$18.00

Our West window is offering \$7.50, \$7.00, \$6.50, \$6.00 Sweater Coats and Pull-Overs at \$4.98 your choice. We are trying to clean up to make room for our Spring lines which are beginning to arrive.

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**For Sale**

6 Pure Bred Holstein Bulls, from 1 to 2 years old. Apply to MICHAEL SHEA, Stirling.

**Stirling Public Library Notice**

Patrons of the Public Library are requested to return all long overdue books at once.

T. G. CLUTE,

Librarian

Auctioneer

By order of the Board.

**Lost**

A pair of glasses in case, between Front St. and Station, on Wednesday morning, Feb. 22nd.

MRS. C. A. BEDELL, Librarian

Finder please leave at Leader Office or phone 44-24.

of interest to the Farmers  
**NEWS**  
Next Week

## CENSUS RETURNS GIVE DOMINION A POPULATION OF 8,769,489

Increase Since 1911 Amounts to 1,562,846 — Ontario Has 2,929,034 Residents—House of Commons Will Have Increase of Ten Members Over the Present Representation.

A despatch from Ottawa says: Revised figures of census returns issued on Friday night bring the total population of the Dominion to 8,769,489, as compared with 7,205,643 in 1911, an increase of 1,562,846. The revisions modify the announced totals for Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island and Ontario. The revised figures for Ontario, rather curiously, restores previous unofficial computations, the total announced being 2,929,034.

The total by provinces and territories, as compared with the 1911 census, now stands:

Province	1921	1911
Nova Scotia	523,837	492,388
New Brunswick	387,839	351,889
Prince Edward Isl.	88,615	93,728
Quebec	2,349,067	2,003,232
Ontario	2,929,054	2,625,274
Manitoba	613,008	455,614
Saskatchewan	761,390	492,432
Alberta	581,995	374,668
British Columbia	523,953	393,480
Yukon	4,162	8,512
N. W. T.	6,684	18,481
Canadian Navy	485	.....
Totals	8,769,489	7,206,643

The next House of Commons, following redistribution, will consist of 245 members, according to the census figures just issued. This will be an increase of ten members over the present representation. The figures are, however, still subject to revision, and final returns may make a change. This

### Mennonite Colony Removing to Mexico

A despatch from Winnipeg says: To prepare the way for all members of the old colony of Mennonites in Manitoba, an advance guard left here March 1. The party consisted of 111 persons, granted certificates to proceed through United States territory to their new home in Mexico. The first group to leave were members of the Plum Cooley colony, and it is understood that a further party from the Haskett, Man., colony will leave about March 27. They are routed by way of Minneapolis, Kansas City and El Paso, Texas, and their special train consisted of twenty-three cars carrying all household effects except some

### Additional Shooting In North Ireland

A despatch from Belfast says: Two further shootings took place in Belfast on Friday night. An armed party entered the home of a Protestant named James Hutton and shot and killed Hutton. Later a Catholic saloon-keeper named Reilly was shadowed from his place of business to a hospital near his home and shot dead. He was a mark for about twenty bullets. In addition to these affrays, a commercial traveler named Burns was shot and killed in a shop at Milford, Donegal, when he declined an order to throw up his hands.

### Developing Canada's Water-Powers.

Prof. R. W. Angus, of the Faculty of Applied Science and Engineering, University of Toronto, has arranged a series of special lectures on water-power development for students and others interested. Five eminent engineers are speaking, between February 27 and March 6, on the utilization of the vast water-powers of Canada. Lewis F. Moody of Philadelphia, Max V. Sauer and Thomas H. Hogg of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission, W. M. White of Milwaukee, and Norman R. Gibson of Toronto will each deal with the phase of the subject in which he specializes. The provincial university is giving regular courses in water-power development and conservation at the present time, and has done so for many years, numbering amongst its graduates men who have become noted in this field of engineering. The present series will, therefore, supplement the regular courses and will bring the university into closer contact with the men who are responsible for the engineering work of the greatest water-powers in America, and therefore the greatest in the world.

### Part in Cerem...

A despatch from Ottawa says: The crew of the cruiser Aurora of the Canadian fleet, which is spending the Winter in the south, furnished the guard of honor at the opening of Parliament in the Barbadoes Islands.

### Card of Turnips.

There is a very interesting old custom still practised by numbers of farmers in the North of England of which many people may not have heard.

When the potato crop and the turnip fields show green the poorer people in the vicinity may purchase so many yards at a fixed price, taking their risk of what may be found underneath when the time is ripe for harvesting the crop.

One penny per yard is usually the price asked, and the portions chosen are then marked out with stakes, reminding one somewhat of the manner in which a gold-digger stakes his claim. It is a very poor harvest indeed when a yard of earth will not yield at least a stone of the nourishing tubers.

In many instances, where the laborers live at some distance from the planted fields, owners readily lend their carts and horses at a nominal charge for carrying home the hamlet's supply.

This is undoubtedly a relic of the old days of village life, and is of great benefit to the poor in these hard times.

### Gift to Princess from Canadians in London

A despatch from London says: The gift of London's Canadian colony to Princess Mary is a handsome silver tea set and a screen.

### Reduce British Army by 33,000 Men

A despatch from London says: Sir Laming Worthington-Evans, speaking at Chorley on Thursday night, announced that the Government was prepared to recommend a reduction in the army estimates by £16,500,000 instead of £20,000,000, as proposed in the Geddes report.

This would mean a reduction of the army by 33,000 men, and the disbanding of 24 battalions of infantry, 47 batteries of artillery, and the equivalent of five cavalry regiments, with a corresponding reduction in the higher staffs and ancillary services.

### King-Emperor's Fund to Build Schools

A despatch from London says: According to a Reuter cable from Delhi, India, King George has directed that the monies in the King-Emperor's Patriotic Fund, subscribed during the war, shall be used to build boarding schools for the sons of Indian soldiers. The schools will be called "King George's Royal Indian Military Schools." The Prince of Wales will lay the foundation stones of the first schools on February 25 and March 1, respectively.

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### SENTIMENT IN FAVOR OF REMOVING EMBARGO GROWING IN ENGLAND

A despatch from London says: Despite the statement by Sir Arthur Griffith Boscowen, Minister of Agriculture, that the British Government would not remove the embargo on Canadian cattle, the fight is by no means over. Lord Beaverbrook, who has been the foremost in the campaign for lifting the ban, addressed five thousand members of the National Union of Farmers at Norwich on Saturday. Sir Henry Thornton and Col. Hardy Mullins of Winnipeg, who spoke so strongly on the matter at the meeting of London Meat Traders last week, also spoke at the Norwich gathering.

It is noteworthy that many members of Parliament, who a few months ago opposed the removal of the embargo, have now changed their opinions and are strongly advocating this step. One candidate is now running in an English constituency with the removal of embargo as the principal plank in his platform. Equally striking has been the change of heart manifested in the part of many members in the National Farmers' Union. The Daily Express is understood to be determined to make the embargo one of the issues in the coming general election, and its views are supported by nearly the whole of the London press.

### Gene Byrnes Says:—"It's a Great Life If You Don't Weaken."



## MEMBERS OF PRINCE OF WALES' PARTY FIRED UPON IN PUNJAB

Agitation Among Sikhs is Assuming a Political Aspect With Wild Talk of a Revival of Sikh Rule.

A despatch from London says:—have been made to tamper with the Prince of Wales party while the Sikhs are absent from their homes, were motorizing from Delhi to Puttiala, in the Punjab region of India, is reported by the Puttiala correspondent of the London Times. None was hit special interest attaches to the meeting of the London Times. Continuing, the despatch says that the character of the assailants is being in Delhi on Friday of the working men known. The police are investigating.

A despatch to the London Times of from Delhi, dated Thursday, says re-hired-headed section, including the ports from the Punjab indicate the young Hindu non-co-operators and the continued seriousness of the agitators extreme Khalifatists, while the older among the Sikhs, which is definitely men, notably Ajmal Khan, Gandhi's assuming a political aspect, with wild declared successor in the event of talk of a revival of Sikh rule. Gandhi's arrest, are said to be ready.

The despatch says redoubled efforts to drop the entire movement.

### A Factor in Canadian Unity.

News has been received from the Canadian Pacific Railway that, at the last meeting of the Board, three annual scholarships were provided for the University of Toronto. These scholarships are open to graduates of universities in Western Canada and are to be used to pursue postgraduate study at the provincial university of Ontario. The purpose of the Canadian Pacific Railway in granting these scholarships is, in the words of Pres. E. W. Beatty, "not only to keep these graduates in Canada but also that they may become better acquainted with the conditions in the East and tend to promote Canadian unity upon their subsequent return to the West. I am strongly of the view that the movement is one which will obviously be of benefit, not only to the students but also to the communities in which they afterwards live and that these circumstances warrant the granting of the scholarships."

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### Quebec Woman Dies at Age of 105

A despatch from St. Agathe des Monts, Que., says: Madame Jean Baptiste Dufresne is dead here, at the age of 105 years, 6 months and 4 days, having been born at Saint Benoit in 1816. Her husband died eight years ago at the age of 95.

Sir Eric Geddes has resigned his seat in the British House of Commons.

### STERLING EXCHANGE REACHES HIGHEST LEVEL IN NEARLY THREE YEARS

A despatch from New York says:—Sterling exchange Thursday morning was bid up to a new high level for nearly three years when demands bills were sold for \$4.40 1/2 and cables commanded \$4.41 1/4. Sterling at Thursday's quotations is up 20 cents since the beginning of the year, of 98 cents from the lowest level touched last year, and \$1.24 from the lowest quotation for all time, registered in 1920.

The causes of the extraordinary advance in sterling exchange are several. One is the tremendous improvement in the foreign trade position of Great Britain during the last few months. The foreign trade statement for January showed a big decrease in December.

The diminished flow of exports to Europe, including England, is reflected in a marked scarcity of bills of exchange offered for sale here against shipments of goods.

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### Markets of the World

#### Toronto.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern \$1.58 1/2.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 CW, 61 1/2c extra; No. 1 feed, 58 1/2c; Manitoba barley—Nominal.

All the above, track Bay ports.

American corn—No. 2 yellow, 77 1/2c; No. 3 yellow, 75 1/2c; No. 4 yellow, 74 1/2c; track, Toronto.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, nominal.

Ontario wheat—Nominal.

Barley—No. 3 extra, test 47 lbs. or better, 57 to 60c, according to freight outside.

Buckwheat—No. 2, 78 to 80c.

Rye—No. 2, 88 to 92c.

Manitoba flour—First pats, nominal.

Ontario flour—90 per cent, patent bulk, seaboard, per bbl., nominal.

Milled—Del. Montreal freight bags included: Bran, per ton, \$28 to \$32; shorts, per ton, \$30 to \$32; good flour, \$1.70 to \$1.80.

Baled hay—Track, Toronto, per ton, No. 2, \$21.50 to \$22; mixed, \$18.

Straw—Car lots, per ton, \$12.

Unofficial quotations—Ontario No. 1 commercial wheat, \$1.25 to \$1.30 outside.

Ontario No. 3 oats, 40 to 45c, outside.

Ontario corn—53 to 60c, outside.

Cheese—New, large, 20 to 20 1/2c; twins, 20 1/2 to 21c; triplets, 21 to 21 1/2c; Old, large, 25 to 26c; twins, 25 1/2 to 26 1/2c; triplets, 26 to 27c; Stiltons, new, 24 to 25c.

Butter—Fresh dairy, choice, 28 to 30c; creamy, prints, fresh, fancy, 41 to 43c; I. 40 to 41c; No. 2, 34 to 36c; cooking, 25 to 26c.

Dressed poultry—Spring chickens, 80 to 88c; roasters, 20 to 25c; fowl, 28 to 32c; ducklings, 32 to 38c; turkeys, 50c; geese, 30c.

Liver poultry—Spring chickens, 22 to 28c; roasters, 18c; fowl, 20 to 28c; ducklings, 32c; turkeys, 40 to 45c; geese, 20c.

Margarine—20 to 23c.

Eggs—New, laid straights, 45 to 48c; new laid, in cartons, 47 to 50c.

Beans—Can, hand-picked, bushel, \$4; primes, \$3.75 to \$3.90.

Maple Products—Syrup, per imp. gal., \$2.50; per 5 imp. gals., \$2.25. Maple sugar, lb., 19 to 22c.

Honey—60-80-lb. tins, 14 1/2 to 16c per lb.; 5-2 1/2-lb. tins, 17 to 18c; Ontario comb honey, per doz., \$5.50.

Smoked meats—Hams, med., 29 to 32c; cooked ham, 40 to 43c; smoked rolls, 24 to 25c; cottage rolls, 26 to 28c; breakfast bacon, 29 to 33c; special brand breakfast bacon, 35 to 37c; backs, boneless, 33 to 37c.

Cured meats—Long clear bacon, 16 to 18c; clear bellies, 17 to 19c.

Lard—Pure tapers, 14 1/2 to 15c; tubs, 15 to 15 1/2c; pails, 15 1/2 to 16 1/2c; prints, 17 to 17 1/2c. Shortening, tapers, 15c; tubs, 15 1/2c; pails, 16c; prints, 16 1/2 to 17 1/2c.

Choice heavy steers, \$7.50 to \$8; do, good, \$7 to \$7.50; butcher steers, choice, \$6.75 to \$7.50; do, good, \$5.75 to \$6.25; do, med., \$5 to \$5.50; do, com., \$4 to \$5; butcher heifers, choice, \$6.50 to \$7; do, med., \$5 to \$6; do, com., \$4 to \$4.25; butcher cows, choice, \$5.50 to \$6; do, med., \$2.50 to \$4.50; canners and cutters, \$1 to \$2.50; butcher bulls, good, \$4.50 to \$5.50; do, com., \$2 to \$4; feeders, good, \$5 to \$6; do, fair, \$4 to \$5; stockers, good, \$4 to \$5; do, fair, \$3 to \$4; milkers, \$60 to \$80; springers, \$70 to \$90; calves, choice, \$12 to \$13.25; do, med., \$9 to \$10; do, com., \$5 to \$7; lambs, choice, \$13 to \$14; do, com., \$6, \$7 to \$7.50; do, good, \$6.75 to \$7.50; do, good, \$5.50 to \$6; do, com., \$2.50 to \$3.50; hogs, fed and watered, \$14.25 to \$14.50; do, com., \$13.50 to \$13.75; do, country hogs, \$13.25 to \$13.50.

#### Montreal.

Veals, \$11 to \$12.50; medium calves, \$10 to \$10.60; lambs, \$9 to \$9.50; hogs, \$14.25 to \$14.50.

Cheese—Finest westerns, 17 1/2c to 18c. Butter—Choicest creamy, 37 to 38c. Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, 90c, 90c to \$1.

Boy Tires of Job;

#### Mine Tied Up

A despatch from Amherst, N. S., says:—The mines at Joggins are idle

says:—The mines at Joggins were idle Thursday afternoon, throwing five hundred men out of employment. A boy operating an electric motor refused to open a pump switch close by, and left his work, although this had been part of his duties for several months. The other boys in the mine, hearing of his action, also left their work, and in consequence the whole mine is tied up.

A rye stalk, measuring six feet nine inches, is reported from Beaverlodge, Northern Alberta, the average height being six feet.

## HAS NEVER FELT FINER IN HIS LIFE

"TANLAC MADE A CLEAN  
SWEEP OF MY TROU-  
BLES," DECLARES TO-  
RONTO CITIZEN.

Wife and Daughter Also  
Greatly Benefited by Mas-  
ter Medicine.

"Tanlac fixed me up so fine that I  
quit taking it three months ago, and  
I've been feeling great ever since,"  
said Thomas Brown, of 140 Hamilton  
Street, Toronto, employee of the Wm.  
Davies Co.

"Indigestion and stomach disorder  
was my trouble, and for three years  
before I got Tanlac I was in mighty  
bad shape. Why, if I drank a cup of  
tea and ate a little buttered bread for  
breakfast I would bloat terribly and  
be in awful distress. I had to let meat  
and pies alone, and tea meals I felt  
as though I had a big lump in the pit  
of my stomach. I had headaches a  
great deal, too, and there was sharp,  
shooting pains around my heart that  
nearly worried the life out of me."

"After taking Tanlac my wife and  
daughter thought so much of it that  
they got me to try the medicine, and  
it proved to be the very thing I needed.  
Why, it has made a clean sweep  
of all my troubles and given me the  
very best kind of an appetite. I can  
eat just anything I want now and I  
feel as fit and fine as I ever did in my  
life. Tanlac is what did the work in  
my case and I don't make any secret  
of it."

Tanlac is sold by all good druggists

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Tanlac is cheap the supply  
always exceeds the demand.

**MONEY ORDERS.**  
Remit by Dominion Express Money  
Order. If lost or stolen you get your  
money back.

Only one man in three is perfectly  
healthy.

Minard's Liniment for Distemper.

### Tree Planting on Dominion Forest Reserves.

As usual the greatest proportion of  
the trees used for planting on the  
forest reserves was supplied from the  
forest nurseries at Indian Head, Sask.  
Forest nurseries are, however, gradually  
being established on the larger  
forest reserves where planting will be  
necessary. A total of about eighty-  
five thousand young trees was set out  
on six reserves. Generally speaking  
the young trees were got into the  
ground under satisfactory conditions.  
These are sample plots and, along  
with those previously set out, are  
being studied closely in order to deter-  
mine the best methods for future  
planting.—Annual report, Director of  
Forestry, Ottawa.

### The Amazing Amazon.

Mrs. Newrich was describing her  
travels to an envious audience.

"And have you been in South Amer-  
ica?" somebody inquired.

"Many times," said Mrs. Newrich,  
rather bored. "In fact I know it from  
end to end."

"Then, of course, you went up the  
Amazon?"

"No! As a matter of fact I didn't."  
Mrs. Newrich fanned herself languidly.  
"My husband went to the top, but I  
never did care for climbing."

### STORMY WEATHER HARD ON BABY

The stormy, blustery weather which  
we have during February and March  
is extremely hard on children. Conditions  
make it necessary for the mother  
to keep them in the house. They  
are often confined to overheated, badly  
ventilated rooms and catch colds  
which rack their whole system. To  
guard against this a box of Baby's  
Own Tablets should be kept in the  
house and an occasional dose given  
the baby to keep its stomach and  
bowels working regularly. This will  
not fail to break up colds and keep  
the health of the baby in good condition  
till the brighter days come along.  
The Tablets are sold by medicine  
dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box  
from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co.,  
Brockville, Ont.

### HEALTH EDUCATION

BY DR. J. J. MIDDLETON

Provincial Board of Health, Ontario

Dr. Middleton will be glad to answer questions on Public Health mat-  
ters through this column. Address him at Spadina House, Spadina  
Crescent, Toronto.

The man out of work in many cases  
was once the boy without recreation.  
This statement has been made by re-  
sponsible people on several occasions  
recently and the truth of it becomes  
more and more apparent as the ques-  
tion of recreation is thought of. A  
few days ago I listened to a very in-  
teresting address at the Border Cities  
Chamber of Commerce by the Director  
of Recreation for the City of Detroit.  
Supervised playgrounds for the young  
was thus inculcated among these boys  
and girls from healthy rivalry with  
their playmates—one boy could run or  
jump or spin a top just a little better  
than those around him, and hence he  
became a model for the others, thereby  
developing amongst them a sense of  
appreciation of the boy who did his  
part well. The sense of citizenship—of  
realizing the worth of your neighbor  
was thus inculcated among these boys  
and girls by watching others play and  
themselves taking part in the recreation.  
In addition, the supervision of the  
playgrounds enabled the smaller and  
weaker boys and girls to get a chance  
at the swings, teeter-totters and other ap-  
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each other was taught, and selfishness  
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An important point now being rec-  
ognized is that the man is really a  
bored man or woman is the result.  
The so-called "bad boy" pranks which  
involved widow-smashing and wilful  
or unwise damage to property, have  
been practically done away with, while  
the number of street accidents to chil-  
dren has been reduced by half since  
playgrounds have been provided. The  
Director of Recreation explained very  
forcefully that in addition to the recrea-  
tion itself, much good resulted to boys  
and girls from healthy rivalry with  
their playmates—one boy could run or  
jump or spin a top just a little better  
than those around him, and hence he  
became a model for the others, thereby  
developing amongst them a sense of  
appreciation of the boy who did his  
part well. The sense of citizenship—of  
realizing the worth of your neighbor  
was thus inculcated among these boys  
and girls by watching others play and  
themselves taking part in the recreation.  
In addition, the supervision of the  
playgrounds enabled the smaller and  
weaker boys and girls to get a chance  
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man healthy in body and mind desires  
to work—he wants to fill his place in  
society and do his work well. To this  
end his health must be good and there  
is no better way to maintain good  
health than by helpful exercise and  
recreation, which should be brought  
within the reach of everyone, whether  
child or adult.

Postum, the pure cereal beverage  
instead, it will give Nature an  
opportunity to rid the system of the irritating substances that  
harm your nerves, upset digestion, increase your heart  
action, and make you nervous and irritable.

Nothing could be more false  
than this reasoning. Any doctor can  
tell you this. For a healthy body does not need or require  
a stimulant. It gets all the stim-  
ulant it needs from food.

The tannin and caffeine found  
in tea and coffee are irritating to  
the heart and nervous system.  
They jolt the nerves into undue  
activity. The result is a reaction.  
This is why regular tea and  
coffee drinkers think they  
must have their stimulant the  
first thing in the morning to  
wind them up for the day.

If you will stop using tea and  
coffee for a week, and drink

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week they wake in the morning  
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Postum (in tins) made instantly in the  
cup by the addition of boiling water.  
Postum Cereal (in packages of larger  
bulk, for those who prefer to make  
the drink while the meal is being pre-  
pared) made by boiling for 20 minutes.



### Postum for Health—"There's a Reason"

Made by Canadian Postum Cereal Co., Limited, Windsor, Ont.

### Telling Time by the Sun.

You may have wondered sometimes  
how it is that whilst most of our  
counting is done in tens, we have  
several examples of reckoning by  
the twelves, such as half-dozen, the  
dozen, the gross, and also the divisions  
of the year and of the day.

The reason is that in the old days  
there were two quite distinct systems  
of calculating. The Jews and Arabs  
used their ten fingers as an aid to ad-  
dition, and from them we get the deci-  
mal system. But other early peoples  
had a system of counting founded not  
on the number of their fingers, but on  
the movements of the sun.

They adopted as their unit the time  
which the sun takes to travel his own  
length, that is one minute. They  
found that the sun required 120 minutes  
to pass from sunrise to sunset at those  
times of the year when day and night  
were equal, and these they  
divided into 12 hours of 60 minutes  
each. Twelve thus became their  
group for calculating purposes, and  
60 (5 times 12) was their top number,  
corresponding to our hundred.

The were at first only moderately  
good astronomers, so they worked out  
the year at 360 days, which gave 12  
months of 30 days each. Each month  
had two spells of twelve working  
days, and six days of rest. Later they  
adopted the six-day week, with a  
seventh rest day as part of it.

We can see a curious survival of  
the 12 system in our own language.

Most others have no proper words for  
numbers beyond ten—they must say  
"one-and-ten," "two-and-ten," and so  
on up to twenty (two tens); but we  
have distinct words in "eleven" and  
"twelve."

### Forests and Recreation.

One of the things about forest con-  
servation which has caused it to ad-  
vance with rapidity is the fact that it  
injures no interest and benefits all.  
The forester and the farmer will never  
quarrel, because the forester desires  
for growing forests only those lands  
too poor to grow farm crops. Again  
the forester does not want to build a  
ten-foot fence about his forest to keep  
out hunters and fishermen and campers.  
The forests are natural recreation  
grounds and to use a forest for this  
purpose is to put it to one of its  
legitimate uses. Often in Western  
Canada a forest reserve may contain  
the only picnic and camping grounds  
for miles around. The people of the  
surrounding district are not kept out  
but are encouraged to use these  
places. Practically the only conditions  
are that they be careful with fire and  
do not otherwise injure the forest.  
This plan has developed a spirit of co-  
operation throughout the West. Be-  
sides this, to some of the lakes in  
forest reserves people come from long  
distances, and they go back home  
strong supporters of forest conserva-  
tion. During the past season one of  
the beauty spots on a western Dominion  
reserve was visited by people from  
Sherbrooke, Quebec, Toronto, Winnipeg,  
Moosejaw, Calgary, Okanagan,  
Edmonton, Vancouver and Victoria,  
and from outside Canada the visitors  
came from England, Ireland, United  
States, Brazil and Honolulu. The ad-  
vantages of this practice to both country  
and city are very great and will  
increase as time goes on.

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the drink while the meal is being pre-  
pared) made by boiling for 20 minutes.

### TREAT RHEUMATISM THROUGH THE BLOOD

Liniments and Rubbing Only  
Give Temporary Relief.

Rheumatism is a trouble extremely  
difficult to get rid of. If a tendency to  
rheumatism is established in the system  
it makes itself manifest by a return  
of the acute pains with every  
spell of bad weather. This is why so  
many people think the trouble is due  
to cold or damp. The fact is known,  
however, to medical men, that with  
the appearance of rheumatism there  
is a rapid thinning of the blood, and  
that the rheumatic poisons are only  
expelled from the system when the  
blood is restored to its normal condition.  
This means that to drive rheumatism  
from the system it must be treated  
through the blood, and for this  
purpose Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have  
been very successful, as they build up  
and enrich the blood, thus easing the  
aching, swollen joints, and benefiting  
the health of the sufferer in other  
ways as well. Among the rheumatic  
sufferers who have satisfactorily used  
this medicine is Mrs. James Gillan,  
Charlottetown, P.E.I., who says: "For  
three long months I suffered terribly  
from rheumatism. I was so bad that  
I could not do my housework, and  
even to attempt to walk caused me  
agonies. I spent a great deal of money  
on liniments and medicines without  
getting the least benefit, and my condition  
was pitiable. At this stage my  
attention was called to Dr. Williams'  
Pink Pills, and I began taking this  
medicine, and shall always praise the  
day I did so. Before long there was  
no doubt that I had, at last found  
something that would give me relief.  
I gladly continued using the pills with  
the result that I am now as well as  
ever I was, able to do my housework  
and care for my children. Since that  
time one of my daughters fell into an  
epileptic condition and was obliged to  
discontinue going to school. I gave  
her Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and now  
she is as healthy a girl as there is in  
the city. You may be sure I lose no  
opportunity in praising this medicine."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills can be had  
through any medicine dealer, or by  
mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for  
\$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine  
Co., Brockville, Ont.

### Correct.

Fortune Teller—"You will marry a  
light man."

Norah (joyously)—"That's Dinnys!  
Shure, don't he work for th' electric  
company."

Mother! Open  
Child's Bowels With  
California Fig Syrup

Your little one will love the "fruity"  
taste of "California Fig Syrup" even if  
constipated, bilious, irritable, feverish,  
or full of cold. A teaspoonful never  
fails to cleanse the liver and bowels.  
In a few hours you can see for yourself  
how thoroughly it works all the  
sour bile, and undigested food out of  
the bowels and you have a well playful  
child again.

Millions of mothers keep "California  
Fig Syrup" handy. They know a tea-  
spoonful to-day saves a sick child to-  
morrow. Ask your druggist for genuine  
"California Fig Syrup" which has  
directions for babies and children of  
all ages printed on bottle. Mother!  
You must say "California" or you may  
get an imitation fig syrup.

Five regiments in the British Army  
wear the kilt. They are the Black  
Watch or Royal Highlanders, Seaforth,  
Gordon, Cameron, and Argyll and  
Sutherland Highlanders.

Minard's Liniment for Garget in Cows.

Luxurious Automobiles for  
Indian Royalty.

When royalty, and especially Indian  
royalty, puts in an order for something  
new and startling in motor cars,  
it will be satisfied with nothing that  
doesn't take the breath away for lux-  
ury and novel features. Two cars  
were manufactured recently in record  
time by a famous British firm for the  
Maharajah of Bharatpur, in order that  
that potentate might properly wel-  
come the Prince of Wales on his trip  
to India. The cost of the open body  
was a mere \$15,000, not including the  
chassis, which cost about \$10,000  
more. The big sedan-limousine set  
the maharajah back only \$40,000, but  
he figured it was worth it, considering  
the amount of mother-of-pearl inlay  
work he got and the solid silver fittings.

The inclosed body, painted mauve  
and striped with a broad gold band,  
is entirely finished inside with solid  
mahogany and satin veneer, inlaid  
with mother-of-pearl.

The open body is of aluminum,  
painted canary-yellow with light-blue  
facing, and is a streamlined sporting  
type for five passengers. The near  
front seat slides, revolvs, and tips  
forward, while both front seats have  
collapsible backs which can be made  
into comfortable beds. The dis-  
appearing top is made of the finest al-  
pac, to match the fine leather uphol-  
stering, as are the side curtains. This  
car also has a large swiveling search-  
light.

Native non-commissioned officers  
in the infantry and artillery of the  
Indian Army, known as havildars, are  
equal in rank to sergeants in the  
British Army.

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### COARSE SALT LAND SALT

Bulls Carrots  
TORONTO SALT WORKS  
C. J. CLIFF - TORONTO

### THIN, FLAT HAIR

GROWS LONG, THICK  
AND ABUNDANT

"DANDRUFF" CURE  
only 25 cents a bottle.  
One application ends all  
dandruff, stops itching and  
falling hair, and  
in a few moments, you have doubled  
the beauty of your hair.  
It softens, lustreous, and  
easily "do up." But what  
will please you most  
will be to see a few  
weeks down at first—  
but really new hair  
growing all over the scalp.  
"DANDRUFF" is to the hair what fresh showers  
of rain and sunshine are to vegetation  
and growth. This delightful  
stimulating tonic helps thin, lifeless,  
faded hair to grow long, thick, heavy  
and luxuriant.

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Tire Valve. Stopper. The Vulcanizing  
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PURITY LAUNDRY TABLETS—  
New washing tablets are  
clean clothes without rubbing.  
15 dollars per week. Our premiums insure  
full 55% repeat orders.

Advertising campaign. B. & E. Mfg.  
Co., London, Ont.

DISTRICT AGENTS FOR ONTARIO  
to sell to farmers and gardeners a  
soothing treatment for the soil, guaranteed  
to give the best results. One acre costs  
from one to two dollars per acre; we  
want good, substantial men who can  
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Co., 25 Yonge Street, Toronto.

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"KING OF PAIN"  
LINIMENT**

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COMES

Watchful Care Necessary

Lydla E. Pinkham's Vegetable  
Compound is a splendid medicine and  
should be taken by the expectant  
mother. It will assist her in keeping  
well and strong. This is very  
necessary, not only for her own  
comfort but for the future as well.

Read the experience of Mrs. Barton  
of New Brunswick, and please  
bear in mind that every letter published  
recommending Lydla E. Pinkham's Vegetable  
Compound is genuine and well-qualified. It is the expression  
of gratitude from women who have  
been helped.

Cumberland Bay, N. B.—"I was  
troubled with weak feelings, headache,  
all the time, a cough, fainting  
spells and pain in my back and  
side. It caused my scalp to be itchy. My scalp was  
sore and red, and the dandruff escaped off and  
could be seen on my clothing. My hair fell  
out gradually and my head was disfigured. This trouble  
lasted six months. Then I sent for a  
free sample of Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I afterwards bought more,  
and I only used two boxes of Soap and two boxes of Ointment when I  
was healed." (Signed) Miss Frances Burns,  
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Use Cuticura Soap, Ointment and  
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Sample Each Free by Mail. Address: "Lydla E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound," 24 Main Street, W. H. W. Talcum 25c.  
Talcum Soap 25c. Ointment 25c & 50c. Talcum 25c.  
Cuticura Soap shaves without musta-  
bo. Candy-like Cascarets. One or two  
box. Children love Cascarets too.

### CASCARETS 10¢

For Constipated Bowels—Bilious Liver

The nicest cathartic-laxative  
for your bowels when you have

Headache Biliousness  
Colds Indigestion  
Dizziness Sour Stomach

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tonight will empty your bowels  
completely by morning and you will feel

splendid. "They work while you  
sleep." Cascarets never stir you up  
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Oil, and they cost only ten cents a  
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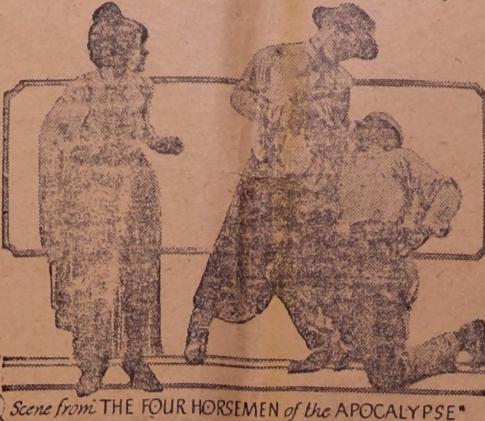
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House and Lot, for particulars apply to

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### THE MARKETS

#### TORONTO MARKETS.

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No. 1 Northern, \$1.62c.

No. 2 northern, not quoted.

No. 3 northern, not quoted.

**Manitoba Oats** (In store Ft. William)

No. 2 W., 61 1/4c.

Extra No. 1 feed, 58 1/2c.

No. 1 feed, 58 1/2c.

**Manitoba Barley** (In store Ft. William)

No. 3 C.W., nominal.

**American Corn** (Track, Toronto, Prompt Shipment.)

No. 2 yellow, 58c.

No. 3 yellow, 75 1/2c.

No. 4 yellow, 75 1/2c.

**Ontario Oats** (According to Freight Outside).

No. 2 nominal.

**Ontario Wheat** (F.o.b. Shipping Points, According to Freight)

Nominal.

**Barley** (According to Freight Outside)

No. 3 extra, 57c to 60c.

**Buckwheat** (According to Freight Outside.)

No. 2, 78c to 80c.

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No. 2, 86c to 88c.

**Manitoba Flour.**

First patent, nominal.

**Ontario Flour** (Prompt Shipment.)

90 per cent patent, nominal.

**Milled** (Car Lots Delivered.)

Bran, per ton, \$28 to \$30.

Shorts, \$20 to \$22.

Feed flour, \$17.00 to \$18.00.

**Baled Hay.**

No. 2, \$21.50 to \$22.00.

Mixed, \$20.

**Straw.**

Car lots, per ton, \$22.

Official quotations—Ontario No. 1 commercial wheat, \$1.28 to \$1.33, outside.

Ontario No. 3 oats, 40c to 45c, outside.

Ontario corn, 58c to 60c, outside.

**CATTLE MARKETS**

**TORONTO LIVE STOCK.**

TORONTO, Feb. 28—Live stock re-

ceipts at the Union Yards were: Cattle, 3,131; calves, 229; hogs, 5,632; sheep, 2,047.

A run of about 2,500 cattle was of-

fered for sale at the Union Stock Yards

yesterday. The offerings were not a

heavy one, and this resulted in sales

slight in advance of last week's close.

The buyers were the abattoir精明

figures that were steady. A little bet-

ter inquiry was shown for feeders, but

the export trade continued inactive.

Sales on heavy cattle were not at

strong prices, the top price being

\$8.20 per hundred, and a couple of loads \$7.

The best price for a load of butchering cattle was \$7 per hundred, al-

though a half load change hands at

\$7.50. Odd lots of feeders sold between

\$6.50 and \$7.25. Cows strengthened

from 10c to 15c last week, and

beef sales were made at \$1.20 to \$1.25

per hundred of the good cows sold at \$5 and \$6.

High values were inclined to weaken

in the face of larger offering. Re-

ceipts exceeded \$1,000,000, but 90%

of these were sold over the week. Sales

were made at \$13.50, f.o.b., and \$14.25

fed cattle.

Choice cattle sold from \$12 to \$13,

with a few tops in the morning at

\$12.50.

The proportion of the sheep and

lamb receipts were billed through from

Calgary to Buffalo, and about 600 of

Italian, 11c.

On the lambs 1c to 11c, head of the lambs

including a ton of \$15. Eastern lambs

sold at \$1.25 and for the rest

sheep and yearlings mixed, brought as

high as \$2 per hundred.

**BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.**

BUFFALO, Feb. 23—Live stock re-

ceipts, 2,400; sheep, 250; to 500 higher; ship-

ping stores, \$1.15 to \$1.60; osteo-

steers, \$1.50; cows, \$2.50 to \$3; bulls,

\$3.50 to \$4.50; yearlings and colts, \$5

to \$6; fresh cows and yearlings, \$5

to \$6; feeders, \$1.50 to \$2.50.

Sheep and lambs, 12,000; yearlings,

sooty sheep, ewes, \$1.50 to \$2.50; lamb,

11c to 15c; mixed, \$1.50 to \$2.50; yearlings,

\$1 to \$15.10; mixed sheep, \$9.50; pigs, \$11.25 to

\$11.75.

**CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.**

CHICAGO, Feb. 28—Cattle, 16,000; bold-

heifer steers closing with early advance

partly lost; market generally steady to

weight, 1,428; steers, \$34.00; heifers, \$34.50;

cannibals and cutters, 10c to 15c higher

largely, \$3 to \$3.75; bulls, strong; be-

longers mostly, \$4.25 to \$4.40; stockers,

heifers, \$5.00; mostly 10c to 20c higher;

over, liberal; top, \$11.25; bulk, \$10.75

to \$11.50; pigs, 25c to 40c higher.

Sheep, 15c to 25c lower; sheep, steady, lambs,

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# THE STIRLING LEADER

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Ladies' Polo Cloth Coat, made in good sport style fancy stitch trimmed.

MISSSES Sport Coat in new hon. ~~tn, very special~~ \$12.50 at

Girls' Sport Coat in mixed tweed effects. Sale price.

**\$25--Misses Suits--\$25**

This group of Spring suits specially priced are well worthy of your inspection

8 only Ladies' and Misses Suits, made in fine serge, or wool poplin, in very neat designs and many of them silk or fancy lined throughout, sizes 16 to 38, navy only, reg. \$35.00 to \$50.00. Sale price-----\$25.00

**39c—HOSIERY WEEK—39c**

Extra heavy cotton hose, quality very best, small sizes only—sizes 8½ and 9 only, reg. 75c, to clear-----39c pair

Children's Cashmere Hose 1-1 Rib brown only, reg. 90c to \$1.50. Sale price-----75c

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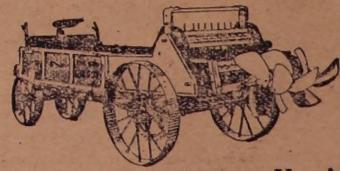
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# Farm Crop Queries

CONDUCTED BY PROF. HENRY G. BELL

The object of this department is to place at the service of our farm readers the advice of an acknowledged authority on all subjects pertaining to soils and crops.

Address all questions to Professor Henry G. Bell, in care of The Wilson Publishing Company, Limited, Toronto, to which they are received in writing kindly. In this paper, as space is limited, it is advisable where immediate reply is necessary that a stamped and addressed envelope be enclosed with the question, when the answer will be mailed direct.

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F. W.: I would like to seed six acres of alfalfa this spring. It is in wheat now. I plowed under the second crop level.

Answer: The fertilizer should be applied to the potato crop when the potatoes are being planted. Plow the soil early in the spring and work it down thoroughly by discing and harrowing. When the rows have been struck out with the plow and you have dug the holes for the potatoes, dust in a fair application of fertilizer along the row or in the holes, pull in a little soil on top of this before you drop the potatoes, then proceed as usual. As near as I can judge your soil, you should use a fertilizer carrying about 3 per cent. nitrogen, 8 per cent. phosphoric acid, and 5 per cent. potash, applying about 500 lbs. to the acre.

Answer: I would advise you to sow alfalfa on top of the fall wheat. If you can get a light harrow or one with adjustable teeth that you can turn back, harrow the wheat lightly after the seed has been sown. This should give the clover seeds sufficient cover that will insure a good stand of alfalfa.

W. E. R.: I have about six acres of land that was seeded to alsike and timothy two years ago, but which came up very poorly and gave a very light cutting last year, and on which I desire to thicken the stand of alsike, particularly. Would it be practical to reseed this field without replowing and restituting the ground as for a new seeding?

Answer: I see no reason why alsike seed should not make a good catch if sown on top the alsike and timothy sod if this is done at once. If you can do it without tearing the sod too much I would advise you to follow the seed with a light harrowing at the time you are seeding the alfalfa, applying about 500 lbs. per acre for a fertilizer carrying about 2 per cent. nitrogen, 8 per cent. phosphoric acid and 2 to 4 per cent. potash. This can be put on broadcast at the time the alfalfa seed is sown and if both are sown with the drill the seed and the fertilizer will be well worked into the soil. At the time you are seeding the alfalfa, apply about 200 to 400 lbs. per acre for a fertilizer carrying about 2 per cent. nitrogen, 8 per cent. phosphoric acid and 2 to 4 per cent. potash. This can be put on broadcast at the time the alfalfa seed is sown and if both are sown with the drill the seed and the fertilizer will be well worked into the soil. I am not very strong for using home grown seed of alfalfa in Ontario. There are a few cases where a fairly good crop has been harvested, but considering the cost you are going to, I believe, it would be wiser to buy standard seedsmen. Test its vitality by putting some seeds on a blotter, keeping some damp, and keep it by the stove or some other heat. Where you are anxious to get a good stand of alfalfa, I would not advise mixing timothy seed with it, as the grass tends to compete strongly with the alfalfa and actually retards it if the grass makes a good stand. In Ontario, spring-grown alfalfa seems to meet with best success.

S. T.: Two years ago I had a field pretty well seeded to sweet clover, then I plowed that under, sowed it to oats. Next it was plowed and sowed to wheat, using 100 pounds of fertilizer to the acre. Would there be any possibility of a catch if I sowed alfalfa on the wheat this spring?

Answer: There should be a possibility of you getting a good stand of alfalfa if you follow the plans outlined. It would strengthen your chances if you would top dress the fertilizer to the acre, following the sowing of the alfalfa seed. The suggestions contained in the answers to the above two questions will have definite application here.

T. E. S.: I have a piece of ground about five acres which is gravelly. Have used this for pasture the last four years. I wish to plant this ground to potatoes this coming season. Would like to fertilize. What time should I apply the fertilizer?

## Cleaning Saves Buying

Among the minor expenses of the household nothing seems to run away with more money than the dry-cleaner's bill. Especially is this so in a large family, and often times good clothing is discarded because it does not seem to warrant another bill for cleaning clothing that cleaned might be made over or combined with other material and thus save the price of new garments.

Dry cleaning is not such a secret as professional cleaners, who are not in business for their health, would have us believe. Any sensible woman, even with only the use of such common household accessories as dry salt, bran, corn flour, ground rice and gasoline, may successfully compete with the cleaner. The success of cleaning lies principally in the knowledge of the chemicals in the dye and the effect of these chemicals on certain fabrics and certain colors. Long experience tells the profession cleaner this when he glances at a fabric, but the home cleaner can find out just as well by trying a piece of the material before attempting to renovate the entire garment.

If there is a big family and much cleaning it wise to set aside a home cleaning department, a shelf where there are such good old standbys as Fuller's earth, French chalk, an ounce of chloroform, a bottle of ammonia, carbonate of soda, a goodly supply of

blotting paper, plenty of soap flakes, Javelle water, glycerine, benzine and gasoline, being sure to keep the last two remedies away from the heat or fire. With this array you can subdue any spot that may attack the family clothing or the household linen. To this add dry salt, bran, corn flour, and ground rice.

The grease spot on your silk frock will require French chalk. Cover the spot with the chalk and let it remain, on all night. In the morning iron under brown paper. French chalk will also clean your light colored shoes or evening slippers, provided you do not allow them to become too dirty before cleaning. Spots on light colored or evening coats may be removed by sundry applications of this same French chalk, or, better yet, a good rubbing with Fuller's earth. White or light felt hats that have soot spots on them require an application of earth.

### Salt Renews Your Suit.

A good way to clean a cloth or tweed dress or suit is by the salt process. Have a jarful of salt, which must have been crushed as fine as possible and passed through a sieve to free it from all lumps. Spread the garment on the table and strew a thin layer of salt all over it. Now take a wide pad and rub the salt into the tweed with long sweeps downward. Never rub up and down or round and round.

round, as this spoils the nap of the material. Brush off all the superfluous salt and go over the more polished parts, such as the hem of the skirt, and the sleeves of the bodice, a second time and then give the dress a final thorough brushing with a clean stiff bristled brush and it should look like new. Of course, all greasy spots should be removed before the salt is applied with ammonia and should be sponged with ammonia and water. Men's clothes may be cleaned in this fashion very easily.

Black silk and black lace should be sponged or dipped in cold coffee and pressed. They will then look like new. Turpentine will remove grease spots from velvet. Alcohol will remove stains from many materials by the application of hartshorn, or, as it is commonly known, hartshorn ammonia. You are unfortunate enough to get a paint or varnish spot on your best suit do not be discouraged, just cover the spot with a little turpentine, or saturate the stain with benzine, and rub until the paint is loosened. Then sponge off with a blunt instrument and apply more turpentine until spot disappears. Alcohol will sometimes take the place of turpentine if the spot is not too old. Stains from tea, coffee, or chocolate on silk should be treated with glycerine mixed with cold water, and fruit stains on colored goods will respond to an application of glycerine and alcohol in equal parts. It must be remembered, however, that repeated applications must be made of this mixture as it acts slowly.

### Gasoline Is Useful.

Gasoline, although rather dangerous to health on account of its inflammability, is one of the best cleaners in the world. This fluid will not remove grease stains, but will take out the dirt and will not injure a fabric. I find that when Putnam's cleaner, a soapy-like fluid that is sold in the drug shops at a small price per bottle, is mixed with the gasoline, the cleaning is twice as easy and several times as good. Silk and other gowns dipped into a mixture of gasoline and cleane come out like new. When washing white gloves in gasoline it is well, while they are still wet, to lay them on a cloth and cover well with flour on both sides. When dry the flour

can be brushed off and the gloves will be left soft and white. Benzine is best for cleaning dark gloves. When the plume on your hat gets too grimy, wash it, providing it is white, in a warm sudsy made of pure soap and warm water and then rinse and dip in a cold starch water. Let dry, shake out the starch, and the plume will be as fluffy and full as when new. It can then be curled with a blunt knife, strand by strand, and will be as good as ever.

Perspiration stains are the hardest to deal with, but some women have found that applications of white vinegar will remove them from gowns. However, in using this remedy it is always well to wet a piece of the gown material first to see what effect vinegar will have upon the color and the fabric. In fact, in cleaning with anything it is well to try a piece of the material before putting a gown haphazard into any fluid. I often take a piece of gown material and stain it with the same liquid, grease, oil, or paint that has spotted my frock and then try my remedies, using the one that proves the most efficacious on the sample.

Clip the cows' udders so that mud will not be falling into the milk pails at milking time.

The most dangerous man in society is not the man who robs his neighbor, but the one who stands back and says, "It's nothing to me what other folks do."

"Accidents will happen," but how many accidents are caused by carelessness? Keep hardware out of the feed trough. When you open a bale of hay, carefully wrap up that wire. Be sure that you get all of it. Don't feed your cattle scrap-iron. It's dangerous.

The ewe's fleece will pay for her keep, and the lamb is clear profit.

A good laying flock should average 160 eggs a year. The number of eggs each hen should lay per month is: November, 8; December, 10; January, 10; February, 12; March, 19; April, 21; May, 20; June, 18; July, 16; August, 13; September, 7; and in October, 6.

## The Sunday School Lesson

APRIL 9

The Lord Preserves Joash, 2 Kings 11: 1-4; 11-17. Golden Text—Ps. 145: 20.

Time—B.C. 841-836.

Place—Jerusalem.

Lesson Foreword—Jehoram, king of Judah, had married Athaliah, the queen of northern Israel (2 Kings 8: 16-18).

At Jehoram's death, his son Ahaziah came to the throne (2 Kings 8: 25-29). On the death of Ahaziah, Athaliah, the queen-mother, now deprived of her proud position, put to death all her own grandchildren, who would be claimants to the throne, and ruled as regent for six years.

The Hiding of Joash, 1-4.

V. 1. Athaliah had inherited from her mother Jezebel great force of character, but her influence was always for evil. Her son was dead; that is, Ahaziah, who reigned for only one year, ch. 8: 26. During his reign Athaliah, the queen-mother, now deprived of her proud position, put to death all her own grandchildren, who would be claimants to the throne, and ruled as regent for six years.

V. 2. Jezebel, sister of the late king. She had married Jehoiada the priest (2 Chron. 22: 11) and had therefore, been won over from the heathen court party to the priestly party who worshipped Jehovah. Took Joash; her infant nephew. One infant was all that was left of David's descendants. The promises of God were to be kept.

V. 3. Joash, like Samuel, was brought up in the temple, where, after just a stone's throw from Athaliah's palace, his presence was kept a dead secret for six years.

During that time he was surrounded with the purest and most powerful religious influences; his good reign showed the value of this training.

V. 4. Jehoiada cautiously wins the favor of the military party before raising the standard of revolution. Rulers over hundreds. The army was divided into units of thousands and hundreds, each unit having a regional officer in charge. The guard.

These were known as Carites and were foreign mercenaries employed by the kings of Judah. As bodyguards by the kings of Judah, like the Krethi and Pethi in the time of Solomon, 1 Kings, 1: 38. The same body of troops furnished the guard both for the palace and the temple" (Skinner). Athaliah, as regent, was their commander-in-chief, but Jehoiada succeeded in winning them from her allegiance. Without their help he could not have enthroned Joash.

The Coronation of Joash 11-12.

V. 11. The meaning seems to be that the guards were drawn up in ranks right across the court from south to north, and facing the altar of the temple. (Skinner). The guards were stationed that they could repulse any attempt upon the young king's life.

V. 12. Brought forth; probably from the priests' residential quarters in the temple where he had been kept in hiding. Give him the testimony. In this instance the testimony would be the official book of the law. The reference to it here would suggest that it was presented to king at their coronation. Anointed him; with oil on the head. Prophets, priests and king were anointed at the beginning of

their ministry to signify: (1) that they were set apart to God for a particular work and (2) that God's spirit was bestowed upon them to qualify them for this death in Asia.

V. 13. Athaliah heard the noise. The royal palace stood close to the temple and the shouts of the guard in the temple would attract Athaliah's attention. She hurried from the palace to the temple to discover its meaning.

V. 14. By a pillar, as the manner was. The king was presented to the people in the place where usually the king stood at worship in the temple. This was by one of the pillars (ch. 23: 3) and probably upon a raised platform there. Blew with trumpets. The trumpets were made of rams' horns and were blown to sound the alarm in battle, to proclaim the new moon and the new year, and at the coronation of a king.

V. 15. Have her forth. Lead her out beyond the ranks of the soldiers, that is, beyond the temple area. It was considered a sacrifice to shed blood within the sacred area. Him that followeth, etc.; a prosecution against any who would side with the queen.

V. 16. The way the horses came. There appear to have been two entrances from the temple to the palaces, the one known as the "horse-gate" (the royal stables adjoined the palace) and the other the "gate of the guard." v. 19. The usual entrance for persons of importance would be by the gate of the guard. Thus it was an indignity to lead Athaliah out by the horse-gate.

V. 17. The covenant formed at the suggestion of Jehoiada was both religious and political. On the one hand the people swore allegiance to their new king, Joash, and on the other both people and king renewed their allegiance to Jehovah. The worship of the heathen Baal ceased in Judah with the death of Athaliah.

Application.

In a large Ontario Sunday School, twenty years ago, there was a boy who gave his teacher, and the School generally, a good deal of trouble. He was unruly and on more than one occasion he had to be put out of the School. But this boy—or rather man—is now assistant superintendent of that same School, and one of the real pillars of the Church. Every boy may not be a Joash, but there are hidden values in every child.

Joash had known and loved the temple all his life, and the influence of that training soon manifested itself. Not long ago, when in one of our Canadian provinces there was a referendum on prohibition of the liquor traffic, at a temperance meeting some one noticed that of five speakers, every one made reference to his early experience in Sunday School. Their steadfast adherence to temperance principles and cheerful advocacy of Prohibition came as a result of their early religious training.

"What manner of child shall this be?" was the question asked concerning John the Baptist. The same question might be repeated over every cradle. As the tiny sleepers in the tiny crib, as music sleeps in the plain eggs of the nightingale; as the cradle sleeps in the blocks of marble, the cradle seems to have possibilities sleep in the mind of every little child.

## For Home and Country

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March: Debate: A Beautiful Home vs. a Bank Account.

Discussion: Housecleaning.

Roll Call: Recipes for Happiness.

April:

Living as we go.

Eggs—their food value and how to prepare them.

Discussion: Nursing Hints.

MARCH:

Paper: Keeping Moths out of Clothing.

Demonstration: Preparation of Fish for the Table.

Roll Call: Housecleaning Helps and Hints.

How to make window boxes and what to put in them.

Nomination of officers.

Seed Pool.

May:

"The Vote is a Trust—Use It."

Election of officers.

Suggestions for new programs.

Roll Call: Membership Fees.

JUNE:

Summer Desserts.

Making summer drinks from fruit juices.

Roll Call: My Pet Superstition.

HOW TO GET A BRANCH INSTITUTE.

A Branch Women's Institute may be organized in any locality (city, town, village or township) where there is a sufficient number of girls and women to meet from month to month to consider questions of general interest in the home and immediate community.

Organization may be undertaken at a meeting called by the officers of the District Women's Institute, by the head of the municipality, or by any five women of the district concerned.

At least ten days' notice of the meeting shall be given by advertising in a local paper or papers, by placard, or by announcements mailed to householders as given in voters' list, in which shall be stated object, time, and place of meeting before adjournment.

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Secure nominations, preferably by ballot, for the officers, and vote by ballot, unless the choice is unanimous.

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### "Unto The Least of These"

Millions of children in the famine districts of Russia are dying by inches because of the apathy of many well-fed people who say: "Russia is a long way off and charity should begin at home. And anyway Russia deserves her chastisement."

Yes, charity should BEGIN but not END at home.

Why should Canadians who came through the war and its terrible aftermath better off perhaps, than any of the belligerent peoples refuse to hearken to the piteous cries of women and children in whatever country they may be placed? The sufferers of the Volga contributed nothing to the causes which have made the Soviet a pariah among the nations of the earth. Then why should we be content to flourish in a land which flows with milk and honey while innocent babes, many of whom were unborn when the war began, are left to wither and die for the lack of the nourishment that a few pennies will buy?

The Russian famine is the concern of every man, woman and child in Canada who is charitable in soul. Among the chosen on the right hand of the King to whom shall be said: "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me."

The Canadian Save the Children Fund Committee has undertaken to raise subscriptions for relief of these children. All monies raised will be spent on food and supplies purchased in Canada. There is no doubt about these reaching the children, for distribution is made through British channels, which guarantee that the children get the food. Subscriptions may be sent to Sir Geo. Burn, Treasurer of Save the Children Fund Committee, Elgin Building, Ottawa, Ontario, or they may be made through your local organization.



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Canada's Only Woman M.P.  
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Miss Agnes McPhail Espouses the Cause of the Church of Latter Day Saints, But Abhors Utah Mormons—Not Much Religion of Any Kind In Ottawa.

TORONTO, April 4. — That the Book of Mormon was inspired and as faithful historically as the Bible, and that there were historical and biblical corroborations of this was the contention of Elder Daniel McGregor of the Re-Organized Church of Latter Day Saints at the Allen Theatre on Sunday evening. He is an uncle of Agnes McPhail, member of Parliament for East Grey, and she was present and gave her testimony subsequent to his address.

Elder McGregor quoted from the Bible prophecies and numerous passages indicating the coming of a new book which he held were borne out by the Book of Mormon as produced by Joseph Smith. He quoted the works of ethnologists and antiquarians, showing the presence of peoples in prehistoric times in America who followed one law and one God and the remains of what once must have been a fairly civilized race. He said that we only awaited the discovery of some "Rosetta" stone among these ruins to uncover a history which would confirm the Book of Mormon as had been the case when the key to the Egyptian hieroglyphics was found and corroborated given to the Bible records. He repudiated Brigham Young and denounced as apostates the believers in polygamy, which he said was not taught in the Book of Mormon.

Miss McPhail said in part: "I am most happy to be present announcing myself as a member of the church that I admire, the Re-Organized Church of Latter Day Saints. I never knew until my election that so many people took an interest in religion. They took a great deal of interest in my religion at that time, have been called a Mormon and I resent that, for if I had my way there would not be one of them in Canada. The Mormons in Utah say they do not practice polygamy, but they believe in it. I think that is a thing that strikes at the very foundation of the home. They tried to defeat me because of my faith in my election, but since going to Ottawa I have not seen much manifestation of religion of any kind in the great churches. Members of the other churches in my county defend me when they know what my religion stands for. The vanguard of progress, either in religious or other history, has been persecuted, and I am glad to see that the world is beginning to accept the religion that is to be called a Mormon which is a thing to detest. We cannot all believe alike and on all points, but we can approach each other's belief in spirit of generosity and love. There is something splendid in belonging to a church that is not popular because that develops back-bone and that is something that all people do not have. I thank you."

### IMMIGRATION AN ISSUE.

Settlement In West to Be Discussed In Commons.

OTTAWA, April 4.—Canadian immigration problems are to the front in the notices which have been given for the business of the House of Commons. Two resolutions have been filed, dealing with these problems, and notice was also given of a question to the Government on the subject.

Hon. H. H. Stevens is inquiring into the migration of the Mennonites to Mexico, and wants to know what they have done with the lands which they occupied in the Canadian West. He desires to be informed whether these lands have been secured by the organization which intends to settle them with immigrants from Poland and other parts of Central Europe. He inquires further whether the immigration authorities are negotiating with agencies or individuals for the bringing of settlers from these parts of Europe. He is also moving for an order for all correspondence between the Minister of Immigration or his officers and any individuals or organizations since the first of the year in regard to placing immigrants on the land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

The second resolution on the subject of immigration stands in the name of Mr. S. W. Jacobs, Liberal member for George Etienne Cartier, Montreal, and is a general challenge of the existing Orders-in-Council in regard to immigration. Mr. Jacobs will move that the "present orders-in-council referring to the entry of immigrants destined to Canada hamper the development of the country, are inimical to its national growth and should forthwith be repealed or thoroughly revised."

### Sandwich Woman Suicides.

WINDSOR, Ont., April 4.—Mrs. Humphrey St. Onge, 28 years old, mother of four young children, committed suicide by hanging herself to a rafter in the attic of her home, Patriarch road, Sandwich, shortly before noon on Saturday. She was still alive when her husband found her, but died within a few minutes after the rope had been lowered. Mrs. St. Onge, according to Coroner Labelle, who investigated, had been mentally deranged during the past two years.

### Honeymoon Couple in Paris.

PARIS, April 4.—Princess Mary and Viscount Lascelles, returning from their honeymoon trip to Italy, arrived in Paris Sunday evening. They are visiting Lord and Lady Granard.

### The Little Black Hen

Said the litt'le red rooster, "Gosh all hemlock, things are tough, Seems that worms are getting scarce, and I cannot find enough. What's become of all those fat ones is a mystery to me; There were thousands through that rainy spell—but now where can they be?"

The old black hen who heard him didn't grumble or complain, She had gone through lots of dry spells, she had lived through floods of rain. So she flew up on the grindstone, and she gave her claws a whet. As she said, "I've never seen the time there wasn't worms to get."

She picked a new and undug spot; the earth was hard and firm. The little rooster, Jeered, "New ground, that's no place for a worm." The old black hen just spread her feet, she dug both fast and free. "I must go to the worms," she said, "the worms won't come to me."

The rooster vainly spent his day, through habit, by the ways Where fat round worms had passed in squads back in the rainy days. When nightfall found him supperless, he growled in accents rough, "I'm hungry as a foul can be. Conditions sure are tough."

He turned them to the old black hen and said, "It's worse with you, For you're not only hungry but you must be tired too."

I rested while I watched for worms, so I feel fairly perk;

But how are you? Without worms too? And after all that work?"

The old black hen hopped to her perch, and dropped her eyes to sleep. And murmured in drowsy tones: "Young man, here this and sleep."

I'm full of worms and happy, for I've dined both long and well.

The worms are there as always—but I had to dig like hell."

Oh, here and there red roosters still are holding sales positions, They cannot do much business now because of poor conditions."

But soon as things get right again they'll sell a hundred firms; Meanwhile, the old black hens are out and gobbling up the worms.

### Auction Sales

TUESDAY, April 11th.—The household goods of Mrs. Lizzie Wallace, Lot 2, Con. 5, Huntingdon, commencing at 1 p.m. Terms ca. Ira SIMMONS, Auct.

STURGEON, April 15th.—Household goods of Jas. J. Fitzpatrick, St. John, set single harness, and buggy. Sale starts at 1 p.m. Terms—9 months at 6 per cent. T. L. Diamond, L. S. Weaver, Clerk. Auct.

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### SPRINGBROOK

Revival services are still being held in the Free Methodist church. Quarterly services will be held on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Green have been visiting their daughter in Belleville.

### Public Notice

Stirling April 5th, 1922

All parties who own dogs must procure tags before April 15th. Any dog found on the streets after that date with a tag will be destroyed.

By order of the Council.

JOHN TANNER, Constable.

### Notice

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Institute will be held in Albert Hall, Friday afternoon, April 7th at three o'clock. Miss Judd will have the program.

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Express.....	10:52 a.m.
Mail.....	2:06 p.m.

New Anglican Prayer and Hymn Books are on sale at Morton's Store.

Mr. Harper Shaw of Toronto, spent the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harper Rollins.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Faulkner, Toronto, have been spending a few days in town.

Mrs. Elbert Clarke of Caperole, sister of Mr. Harper Knox, arrived here on Monday night.

Mr. Jerome Conley of Cobbermere visited his son Mr. Carl Conley on Friday.

Mr. Thos. Spry went to Toronto yesterday to attend the Coal Dealers Association Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. McLelland of Peterboro, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Elliott last week.

R. L. McFee of Toronto was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Butler for the past week.

Ruth, the most beautiful Oratorio that Gaul composed, is the main feature of the Methodist choir concert, given in the church Monday April 24th.

Mrs. D. Benedict returned home on Saturday from Toronto where she was the guest of her sisters for a week.

The Stirling Board of Trade will meet on Monday evening April 10th at eight o'clock in the Council Chambers of the Public Library.

Mr. Arthur Shore returned to town on Saturday from a successful trapping expedition in the North country.

Mrs. Albert Watson who has been spending the winter with her brother, Mr. Jas. Conley, left on Tuesday for her home in the United States.

Gordon E. Linn, Mount Pleasant, having passed his final examinations successfully at The Ontario Business College, Belleville, returned home on Thursday last.

The regular meeting of Carmel Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. B. Weaver, on Thursday, April 13th, at the usual hour. Visitors welcome.

The "Hastings Club" held a very successful dance and euchre in Davise's Hall, Toronto, Wednesday evening, March 29th. About sixty

couple enjoyed the splendid music supplied by Keen's 4-piece orchestra. Ten tables of progressive euchre were played in the large balcony upstairs; three prizes being awarded to the winning couples.

The committee in charge were:

Mr. C. Foster, Mr. C. I. Hatton, Miss Tempie Hawkins, Miss Agnes Morton, Miss Jean Heath, and Miss Grace Harris.

### BIRTH

CUMMINGS—In Stirling, on Sunday, April 2nd, 1922, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leo Cummings, a son.

### THE TOMB

JEFFREY—In Huntingdon Township, on Monday April 3rd, William Jeffrey, in his 45th year.

KNOX—In Stirling, on Friday, March 31st, 1922, Florence Irene Bird, beloved wife of Mr. Harper Knox, aged 32 years and 2 months.

### How fish eat.

When a codfish eats it takes an eye, in its mouth, cracks the shell, degests the meat, and ejects the shell. Crabs crack the shells of their smaller neighbors and suck out their meat. This accounts for the mounds of shells which are found beneath the waves. And, as further illustrating the constant destruction going on in the oceans' depth, it is said that if a ship sinks at sea it will be eaten by the fish with the exception of its metal portions.

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### WHOLE CITY MOURNED

Sir John Eaton Carried to His Grave.

Beloved Merchant Prince Laid at Rest, and Thousands of Fellow Citizens Assembled to Do Honor to His Memory—Impressive Ceremony Conducted in Church Erected as Memorial to His Father.

TORONTO, April 4.—The great bell in Timothy Eaton Memorial Church sent its message of sorrow tolling mournfully across the city Monday afternoon, but it was the thought of victory over death and the glory of the resurrection which characterized the solemn service of mourning which was held over all that was mortal of Sir John Eaton.

Within the church were seated dignitaries of church and state, magnates of the financial and commercial world, while the galleries were filled by representatives of the great mercantile house for whose growth Sir John was so largely responsible. Around the massive bronze casket there reverently stood some dozen of the men who had been most close to the great merchant pioneer during his earthly endeavors.

The service was opened with the choir intoning the strains of Tennyson's "Crossing of the Bar," a selection strangely appropriate in view of Sir John's dying words, "all that I want is rest."

Ere the music was ended there filed up to the flower-banked pulpit representatives of the four great Protestant denominations, who were jointly to conduct the service.

It was with the words, "I am the Resurrection and the Life" and with the scriptural promise that "In my Father's house are many resting places," that the pastor, Rev. C. A. Williams, prefaced his reading of the 90th Psalm.

Following this Rev. Canon Cody delivered the first of the two funeral orations.

The congregation then joined in singing "Abide With Me."

Following an address in which Rev. S. D. Chown, spoke of the deep loss which Canada had suffered in the death of Sir John, the congregation joined in the Lord's Prayer, led by Rev. J. Hugh McLeod.

Then, as the notes of the dead march filled the church, officiating clergy slowly filed down the centre aisle followed by the representatives of the university hospitals, the high courts, the Government and other bodies. Reaching the entrance of the church they separated and stood with bowed heads while the bronze casket, covered with the Union Jack, was carried out to the waiting cortège.

Most of the business houses were closed as a tribute to the memory of the dead, and dense thousands as far as the eye could see along the south side of St. Clair avenue stood waiting in front of the Timothy Eaton Memorial Church even half an hour before the long funeral service began inside.

It was an orderly, patient crowd. Seventy-five officers and men of the police force kept the sidewalk around the whole block of the church clear. Streets south of St. Clair avenue were choked with automobiles for half a mile.

The funeral procession that took its way slowly and sorrowfully to the last resting place of the merchant prince was arranged as follows:

1. Police marshals.
2. Guard of honor; six hundred Eaton returned soldiers.
3. Officiating clergymen.
4. Physicians in attendance, during illness.
5. Honorary pall bearers.
6. Active pall bearers.
7. Hearse.
8. Chief mourners.
9. "Ardwold" staff.
10. Representatives of the Governor-General.
11. Representatives of the Lieutenant-Governor.
12. Department heads and assistants.
13. Eaton Church officials, including members.
14. Heads of churches.
15. Members of the Privy Council.
16. Members of the Ontario Government.
17. High Court judges.
18. Clergymen of all denominations.
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The honorary pall-bearers were twelve in number: Mr. Grant Hall, vice-president of the C. P. R.; Sir Robert Falconer, Sir Henry Pellatt, Sir William Mulock, Gen. Bickford, Col. Dr. Herbert Bruce, Sir Edmund Osler, H. H. Fudger, E. R. Wood, William Dobie, H. H. Williams, and Sir John Gibson.

With the blinds on the windows of the chamber where they met, closely drawn, the City Council passed a resolution expressing sorrow over the death of Sir John Eaton and extending the bereaved one the city's sympathy in their great loss.

"We are here," said the mayor, "to pay our respects to the memory of the late Sir John Eaton, one of our most estimable citizens. Not only Toronto, but the whole of Canada, suffers a great loss in his death. While he has been more closely identified with his native city, we feel that it is a loss to the whole country. He was always foremost when necessary to do anything on behalf of this great city."

### HOLD CANADIAN WEEK.

Celebration Is Marked by Parade In Chicago.

CHICAGO, April 4.—"Canadian Week," celebrating 104 years of peace between the United States and her neighbor, was ushered in by a parade of 5,000 strong, down Michigan avenue and through the loop, passing in review before George Bell, Jr., commanding officer of the 8th Corps area.

Along the line of march the curb was lined with an encouraging crowd, which cheered and waved at the detachments sent from Fort Sheridan and the Great Lakes station, which greeted warmly the Canadian veterans and the marchers of the American Legion, and was hugely interested in the Kiltie Band of the Canadian Club.

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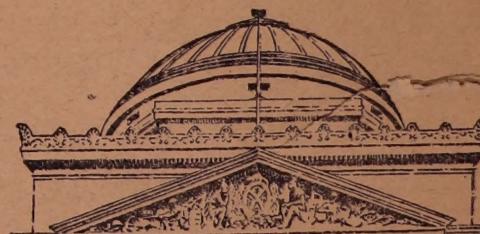
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7:30 p.m.—Bethel



## HEALTH EDUCATION

BY DR. J. J. MIDDLETON

Provincial Board of Health, Ontario

Dr. Middleton will be glad to answer questions on Public Health matters through this column. Address him at Spadina House, Spadina Crescent, Toronto.

Many people maintain that poverty is a crime, and others say it is unavoidable under our present social system. The Bible tells us that the poor we have always with us. But whatever viewpoint we take on this subject, it must be admitted that poverty is a great impediment in the work of Child Welfare. Of course, it must be admitted that many children of well-to-do parents are weaklings, sometimes due in part to overfeeding, and carelessness or indiscretions in diet, but as a rule it is among the children of the poor that the most urgent work in Child Welfare is needed. This is obviously true, the poor being always in the majority wherever we go. It has even been inferred that God favors poor people, because He made so many of them.

One must bear in mind, therefore, that while poverty continues, child life among the poor will, in the absence of adequate help and supervision, always be on a more or less low plane, and that the best environment for the progress of the child is that of happy family life.

In Child Welfare work the ultimate aim should be:

1. The maintenance of the family above the poverty-line.

2. Amelioration of the conditions of child life.

3. Rehabilitation of those families which have sunk below the poverty-line.

4. The compelling of such measures as will tend to prevent the destruction or degradation of family life.

## THE MYSTERY MEN OF MOUNT EVEREST

### THE WORLD'S MOST REMARKABLE RACE.

#### In This Region of Intense Cold Live the "Abominable Snowmen" Seen by Explorers.

Living amidst the perpetual snows of Mount Everest is a race of mystery men known in the Tibetan language as the "Abominable Snowmen," on account of their ferocity and the savage deeds they commit when they come in contact with the more or less civilized inhabitants of the region. Hairy Ains, Bushmen, Patagonians, African Pygmies, and "Cannibal Amazons" have in turn excited our curiosity, but the "Abominable Snowmen" are more remarkable than any of them.

A great deal of mystery still surrounds the "Abominable Snowmen," and this, it is believed, will not be cleared up until the exploration of Mount Everest is finally completed.

Colonel Howard Bury, the leader of the Mount Everest expedition, states that at an elevation exceeding "the limits of possible habitation" he observed tracks resembling those of a barefoot man leading up the glacier. He did not at first report the fact, because he saw no man, and he thought that the tracks might be those of some animal which had been altered by the weather into human shape.

#### "Abominable Snowmen"

The numerous statements of the coolies who accompanied the expedition, and of many Tibetans and several white explorers, about the "Abominable Snowmen," have led Colonel Bury to report what he saw.

The coolies who accompanied the Bury expedition state that they not only saw the footprints, but saw the wild men hanging around in the twilight, and ready to attack the explorers if they saw an opportunity. The coolies report that the wild men live entirely without clothes, and are protected from the intense cold only by their long, thick hair.

Investigation has further revealed that the existence of these people is known to many of the surrounding Tibetans, and that other white men had heard of them. Small colonies of the wild men are said by the villagers at the base of Mount Everest to live on the slopes of Everest and of the neighboring peaks of Chumalhari and Karola.

Some of the natives explain that the wild men are murderers who have been driven from civilized communities and forced to live in waste places. The colony on Mount Karola is said to be of this character, and it is reported that these exiles sometimes descend into the plains and rob the inhabitants.

But this explanation does not account for the statement that the "Snowmen" are wild and clad only in their own hair. Only a race with ages of adaptation to environment, it is argued, could live above the perpetual snowline, and sustain life on the few animals and birds that are found there.

Moreover, other white explorers have just come forward with new evidence concerning the existence of a race of "Snowmen" who live naked in the intense cold. William Hugh Knight, one of the best-known explorers of Tibet, read the report about the human footprints seen by the Bury expedition, and made this statement:

#### "Hairy Men of Everest."

"Shortly before the last Tibetan war

## SPRING IMPURITIES DUE TO POOR BLOOD

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Brantford Plans Boy Scout Week.

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### Japanese Smoking Customs.

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smoke, the girls beginning when they  
are about ten years of age. The ladies  
have pipes with longer stems than the  
men, and if one of them wishes to  
show a gentleman a special mark of  
favour, she lights her pipe, takes a  
whiff, hands it to him, and lets him  
smoke.

### Surprised Mother.

The missionary society was meeting  
at our house and the woman who was  
to lead the devotions took the elas-  
tic band from her Bible, hid it in her  
top and began to turn the pages to find  
the passage she was to read. During  
the solemn silence my young son  
walked over to her and, picking up  
the elastic, he announced: "Why,  
that's my mother's garter!"—Grit.

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### NATURALLY

Monk—You make me sick. You  
laugh while I tell you a sad story.

Hyena—Can't help it. I'm a  
laughing hyena.

An Altruism.  
Some day we'll be so good and kind,  
And peripatetic and refined,  
That cities, as crime takes a drop,  
Won't even need a traffic cop.

Relieving the Monotony.  
Does a game of poker help you to  
forget your troubles?"

"Not exactly," replied Cactus Joe.  
"Mostly it only gives me a new kind."

Always Busy.  
"You never pay attention to idle  
go?"

"There is no such thing," answered  
Miss Cayenne. "Gossip is never idle."

### Reasonable.

"Have you anything to say, prisoner,  
before sentence is passed upon  
you?" asked the Judge.

"No, your honor," answered the cul-  
prit, "except that it takes very little  
to please me."

Thomas J. Thompson, and  
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## Notice To Creditors

In the Estate of Samuel Mack, late of  
the Township of Rawdon, in the  
County of Hastings, Farmer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all parties  
having claims against the Estate of  
the late Samuel Mack, who died on or  
about the 15th day of October, A. D.  
1921 at the Township of Rawdon in the  
County of Hastings are required to send  
by post, prepaid or to deliver to the  
undersigned, Executor of the said Estate,  
their names and addresses and full partic-  
ulars in writing of their claims and  
Statement of their accounts and  
the nature of the securities held by them, if  
any.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the 1st  
day of May, A. D. 1922 the said Executor  
will proceed to distribute the assets  
of the said deceased among the persons  
entitled thereto, having regard only to  
the nature of which they shall have  
had notice, and they will not be liable  
for the said debts or any part thereof  
to any persons of whom claim they shall  
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THOMAS J. THOMPSON, and  
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Firs class Mixed Alfalfa and Timo-  
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THOS. RYAN,  
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On Tuesday, Mar. 14th, between Stir-  
ling and Minto, a pair of Japanese  
Mats. Finder please notify JACK KANE,  
R. R. 1, Harold, or phone 88-5.

### For Sale

Farms—150 acres; Lands in good state  
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water the year round. Con. 5, Rawdon  
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### For Sale

6 Pure Bred Holstein Bulls, from 1  
to 2 years old. Apply to MICHAEL SHEA,  
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10 Pure Bred Holstein bulls, one 2 years  
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